

Allies Regain the Initiative in Italy

Invasion Coast Given Terrific Blows from Air

Americans, British, Attack Wide Area

By AUSTIN BEALMEAR

LONDON, Feb. 13 (AP)—United States Flying Fortresses and Liberators in strong formations teamed with American Marauders and RAF Typhoons today in an unprecedented offensive against the invasion coast of Northern France, dealing out probably the heaviest blow of recent weeks on that sector now become one of the world's most battered strips of land.

Operating together for the first time since Feb. 5, the big four-engine types plastered mystery targets in an intensification of the assault previously handled chiefly by lighter RAF craft.

Many Planes Attack

The American heavy bombers were escorted by American Thunderbolts and Mustangs. American Marauders, escorted and supported by RAF, dominion and Allied fighters, and other Allied fighters and British Typhoons also attacked military objectives in Northern France during the afternoon, a joint British-American communiqué said.

Seven German aircraft were brought down during the day, six by escorting American fighter planes, while four of the heavy bombers and two fighters from the attacking force failed to return.

The war bulletin said that "some enemy fighter opposition and considerable flak" was encountered by the Flying Fortresses and Liberators.

The raids followed a bomb concentration on the same area Saturday by Liberators, none of which was lost, and RAF Mosquitos.

Maintaining the offensive, RAF bombers last night pounded undisclosed objectives in Southern France and Western Germany, and said mines. One plane was lost.

RAF Bomber Damaged

In another daylight operation today, an RAF Mosquito bomber downed a German flying boat so close to the Norwegian coast that it was hit by shore batteries and returned to Britain on one engine.

Today's attack was the fourteenth operation of American heavy bombers in seventeen days, but the first fortress raid on the invasion coast since Jan. 21, when all three types of United States daylight bombers hit Northern France with the loss of six four-engine planes.

While the Fortresses have been concentrating on German plane production centers and French airfields, Liberators have operated independently, hitting the Pas de Calais area eight times since Jan. 28, and each day for the last three days.

Huntington Swept By \$500,000 Fire

HUNTINGTON, W. Va., Feb. 13 (AP)—The most damaging fire in the history of Huntington destroyed half a block of business houses in the heart of the downtown district today with loss estimated at \$500,000.

The flames, said by assistant Fire Chief Glenn Hobson to have originated in a small clothing store on Tenth street, near Fourth ave., reduced the two-story Miller Ritter building to rubble.

Four firemen were hurt but their injuries were described as not serious.

Naval Guns and Planes Big Factors in Beachhead Battle, Says Analyst

By ELTON C. FAY
Associated Press Staff Analyst

The Allies in Italy seem to be involved, for the moment, in something of a vicious circle.

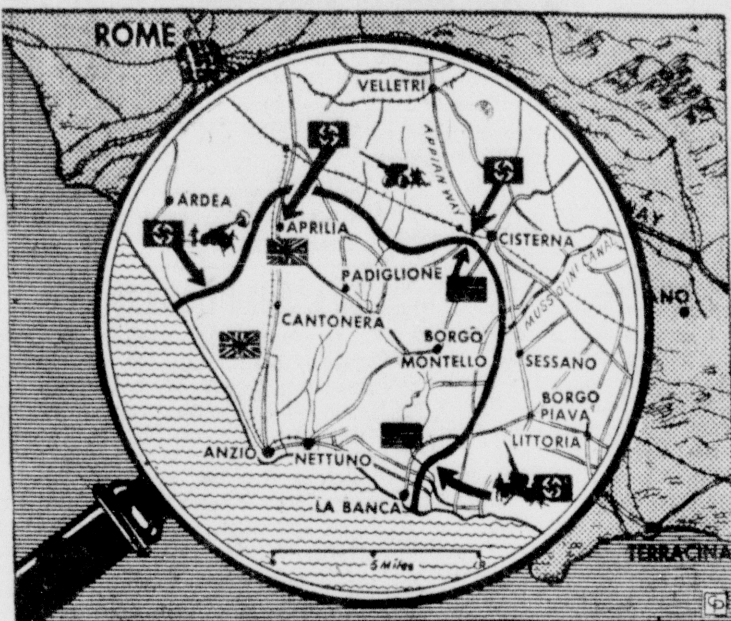
A break-through on the main battle line near Cassino which would link by land the supply routes of the Anzio beachhead with Allied-held southern Italy would facilitate expansion of the beachhead.

But a break-through in force is being opposed by the Germans at Cassino who are shutting reinforcements and shipping supplies over the rail and highway routes from Rome—a procedure which may continue until the beachhead can be expanded to cut those supply routes.

Naval Guns in Action
It is quite possible the Allies will find a way to break this unhappy situation. There is evidence this is under way.

Allied aviation and naval guns are major factors at work to solve this problem. Communique during the weekend spoke of the presence of Allied heavy bombers, in addition to other aviation, over the battle zone.

WHERE DESPERATE BATTLE RAGES



HERE'S A CLOSE-UP of the Anzio-Nettuno beachhead area where the Nazis are hurling everything they have at the Fifth Army forces fighting a crucial battle to hold off growing numbers of German men and tanks seeking desperately to drive the Allies back into the sea. Black line indicates battle section and arrow breaking through line points to Aprilia, which Germans claim to have captured. Other arrows show points at which Nazi pressure is aimed.

Allies May Shell Farley, Garner Famous Monastery Talk Politics

Fortified by Nazis, High Command Says

Both Concerned Over Conditions

NEW YORK, Feb. 13 (AP)—The Rome radio said today that Allied artillery has begun an intense bombardment of the monastery on Mt. Cassino.

The broadcast was recorded by CBS.

By EDWARD KENNEDY

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, ALGIERS, Feb. 13 (AP)—The Allied command charged today that the Germans had turned the famous Benedictine monastery on Mt. Cassino into a fortress, and therefore it might be necessary to assault it.

The monastery is strategically placed on the crest of Mt. Cassino, which overlooks the town of Cassino and dominates the road to Rome which the Germans are holding as a corridor into the town.

Americans Within 400 Yards

American troops are within a few hundred yards of the abbey, but have not yet intentionally fired upon it, a headquarters officer said.

The Germans still are putting up fierce resistance on Abbey Hill. Vatican authorities have asked that the monastery be spared, and up to now the Allies have complied with that request, but the Germans are using it as a fortress.

Its buildings are big and play an important part in German defense of the hill, which is a dominating feature in the area.

When the Allies capture it, they will dominate highway No. 6 leading from Cassino. And when that time comes they may have to employ means other than those they have been using to knock the Germans out of it, he continued.

Not Shelling Abbey

The officer said that Allied forces are not intentionally shelling the abbey now, but the Germans on their part have not observed the Vatican request to avoid damage to it.

The monastery is the oldest in the world, established by St. Benedict in 529 A.D. in the ruins of the Roman temple of Apollo as a retreat for men forsaking the world for a communal life of prayer, meditation, and work.

Some persons believe that St. Benedict is buried at Mt. Cassino, but this is not certain. One room in the crypt of buildings there is said to be the cell he used.

UVALDE, Tex., Feb. 13 (AP)—James A. Farley, Democratic national chairman and postmaster general during President Roosevelt's first two terms, emerged from a conference with John H. Garner today to assert that he and the former vice president are "concerned about conditions in the nation now."

Commenting on his second meeting with Garner since last July, Farley said that "we discussed politics, past, present and future."

"The meeting took place at the Garner residence."

"I came to Uvalde for the express purpose of visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Garner," Farley explained in an interview.

"We discussed politics from every angle. Mr. Garner, like myself, is concerned about conditions in the nation now."

Garner, who left a sick bed to meet Farley at the railway station, returned to bed after the conference and was not available for comment. He is recovering from influenza.

To the question, "who do you think?" (Continued on Page 2, Col. 1.)

Mussolini's Guards Warned by Allies

NAPLES, Feb. 13 (AP)—Allied authorities broadcast a warning today to Mussolini's new National Republican guards and other Italian police forces in German-occupied Italy that they would be held personally responsible for any crimes committed under Fascist orders.

"We know the names of those who have taken part in shooting hostages," said the announcement, asserting that both those who give and who carried out the orders would be tried "some day by competent courts."

Canned Fruits, Vegetables, Cut Civilian Supply Sharply Reduced

CHICAGO, Feb. 13 (AP)—Civilians are in for a forty-three per cent cut in canned fruits and a nineteen per cent cut in canned vegetables this year, a War Food Administration official told the Food Processors' convention today.

C. W. Kitchen, deputy director of the Office of Distribution of the WFA, said that a new order signed last Friday allows civilians seventeen million cases of twelve canned fruit items for the 1944-45 season, as against thirty million last year, and grants them 104 million cases of fourteen vegetable items this year as compared with 128 million cases last season.

Kitchen said these figures compared with a civilian use of fifty-four million cases of fruits and 143 million cases of vegetables in the 1941-42 peak season.

"The projected vegetable supply for civilian distribution in the coming season," he said, "will be nearly forty million cases less than the quantity consumed in 1941-42, and nearly twenty-five million cases less than the supply available during the current season."

"An increase in the 1944 pack above the average of the past two seasons would mean a larger quantity for civilian use. Likewise, if the (Continued on Page 2, Col. 1.)

Russians Score New Victories In Great Drive

Thousands More Germans Killed

By TOM YARBROUGH

LONDON, Monday, Feb. 14 (AP)—Russia's Leningrad army in five days has completely cleared the east shore of Lake Peipus, which forms most of Estonia's frontier, capturing 800 localities including the big railway junction of Luga and killing thousands of Germans in a still-rolling offensive now only forty-seven miles from Pskov, a Moscow communiqué announced today.

Hundreds more Germans fell in the Korsun "slaughter trap" in the Ukraine, where the last of 100,000 Germans were being wiped out, and Berlin said the Russians also were attacking toward Lwow in Old Poland, and at Narva, ancient battleground to Northern Estonia.

Luga Taken by Storm

Luga, eighty miles south of Leningrad and the same distance north-east of Pskov, gateway to Southern Estonia and Northern Latvia, was captured by storm yesterday, said an order of the day issued by Premier Marshal Stalin last night.

German troops which had converted Luga's stone buildings into blockhouses fought bitterly but were outflanked from both east and west and overwhelmed, a midnight Moscow bulletin said in giving additional details of the victory.

"In fighting on the approaches to the town and in the streets the enemy sustained losses," it said. "Our troops captured war material and took a considerable number of prisoners."

In the Ukraine amphibious battle the Russians announced the seizure of Sotniki, six miles north of Korsun, and Arbuzovo, four miles north-east of Korsun, which is the core of the remaining resistance by the remnants of ten trapped Nazi divisions. Six hundred Germans were killed at Sotniki alone, the bulletin said.

Size of Pocket Reduced

The capture of those two points and two others reduced the Axis pocket to an eight-mile long strip running north along a railway from a point just below Korsun to Sotniki.

"Soviet artillerymen are smashing the enemy defense system with powerful fire and supporting infantry," Moscow said.

Savage German counter-attacks west of Korsun, outside the death ring, were declared beaten down in all day and night fighting. Moscow said "the approaches to Soviet positions were covered with the bodies of German officers, men and smashed enemy war material."

A Berlin communiqué said Gen. Nikolai F. Vatutin's Western Ukrainian forces were striking heavily near Dubno, eighty-three miles northeast of the German stronghold of Lwow, apparently in an effort to break through to Lwow and cut the main supply artery for hundreds of thousands of Germans still clinging to parts of the Dnieper bend.

The Leningrad offensive, begun Jan. 14, has in a month's time reconquered approximately 12,000 square miles, and reached a point 150 miles southwest of Russia's second city.

Edgar Selwyn Dead

HOLLYWOOD, Feb. 13 (AP)—Edgar Selwyn, 68, whose theatrical career began with an usher's job in Rochester, N. Y., and extended through four decades as actor, Broadway producer, theater owner and motion picture director-producer, died here today.

Two Trainmen Killed

DOYLESTOWN, Pa., Feb. 13 (AP)—A Pennsylvania railroad freight train crashed into the rear of another early today, killing two crew members instantly and injured three others.

Fifth Army Preparing for Strong German Attack on Anzio Beachhead

(Editor's note: Associated Press Correspondent Kenneth L. Dixon has just returned to Naples from the Anzio beachhead.)

By KENNETH L. DIXON
NAPLES, Feb. 13 (AP)—Apparently past one major crisis of German counterattacks, the Fifth Army amphibious forces in the Anzio beachhead are bracing for the inevitable, stronger encore, hoping the skies will clear enough to unleash Allied air support.

Vicious infantry battling is continuing on the north and central flanks of the landing front, and the situation unquestionably remains tense.

First Crisis Passed
But the official description that the beachhead situation is "generally satisfactory" indicated that at least one preliminary crisis had been successfully passed. At the same time it provided the first official implication that the beachhead forces had been involved in one of the bitterest fights of this campaign.

Official reports from the beachhead also underscore the importance of the fighting up to infantrymen.

AMERICAN SATURATION SHELLING OF CASSINO



AGAINST THE BACKGROUND OF MT. CASSINO, clouds of smoke billow skyward from the burning city as American artillery shells pour into the besieged buildings. Below the smoke, Allied and Nazi troops were engaged in furious hand-to-hand fighting that is still in progress from house to house. Casualties on both sides are said to be heavy. This is an official United States Signal Corps photo.

Rabaul Airdromes Raided by Allies

134 Tons of Bombs Do Great Damage

By VERN HAUGLAND

GUADALCANAL, SOLOMON ISLANDS, Feb. 13 (AP)—Adm. William F. Halsey's South Pacific air arm, pressing its stepped-up offensive against Rabaul, struck in four separate raids on this Northeastern New Britain Japanese base last Thursday and destroyed thirty-three enemy planes plus several probables. Four Allied aircraft were lost. The raiders dropped 134 tons of bombs.

Eight navy Corsair fighters, after escorting bombers in a raid on the Vunakau airdrome, went up to the northwest coast of New Britain to Pondo Point where they strafed and set afire a 150-foot Japanese auxiliary schooner. Lt. Comdr. John T. Blackburn of Chevy Chase, Md., led this attack at treetop altitude.

Marine avenger torpedo planes bombed Tobera, Rapopo and Lakunai, the other airdromes at Rabaul, before dawn.

Forty enemy fighters attacked the Allied fighter cover of sixty planes. Ten Jap fighters were shot down and three more probably destroyed. One marine fighter, one torpedo plane and one dive-bomber were lost.

More than twenty Mitchell medium bombers of the Thirteenth air force hurled thirty-five tons of bombs on Vunakau while a similar number of Liberator heavies, twelve minutes later, aimed eighty-five tons at the Tobera field runway.

Three separate attacks were made and returning pilots reported they "knocked hell out of" supply dumps in the Vunapope sector, a prime target.

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Florida Hospitality Reaches Its Peak

JACKSONVILLE, FLA., Feb. 13 (AP)—With the temperature at 34—two above freezing—Mayor John T. Alsop today greeted Senator Harry Truman (D-Mo.) as he arrived here to make a Jackson day address.

"We welcome you to the land of sunshine and flowers," said the mayor, removing his gloves. The senator eyed the mayor's overcoat.

"If this is the land of sunshine and flowers," Truman asked, "why do you have on your overcoat and gloves?"

Stymied for a moment, Alsop recovered. "I dressed this way to make you feel at home," he said.

Germans Evacuate Vienna Civilians

ISTANBUL, Feb. 12 (Delayed)—(AP)—The Germans have decided to evacuate the civilian population of Vienna, the Budapest correspondent of the Turkish newspaper Aksham said today.

The dispatch said the decision was taken last Tuesday at a conference of Nazi leaders.

Textile Workers Call Off Strike

FALL RIVER, MASS., Feb. 13 (AP)—Eleven hundred members of three striking textile unions tonight voted unanimously to return to work tomorrow morning in seven mills that were seized by the army last week as a result of a nine-week walkout.

Disney Suggests New Tax System

Asks Collection Of Amounts Due

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13 (AP)—Integration of the victory tax with the regular normal income tax and surtax and graduation of the withholding tax to collect the exact amount on individual salaries each payday was advocated today by Rep. Disney (D-Okla.) as a simplification move.

A member of the House Ways and Means committee which has announced it will consider "promptly" proposals for clearing away some of the confusion about individual income tax returns, Disney also urged changes in the estimates of income now required.

Sources of Trouble
"One of the big sources of trouble, which has been annoying and harassing the taxpayers is the system of estimates of income required," Disney said in a statement. "Under the same set of facts any three experts, private or government, will disagree on the computation of the tax."

"One section of the bill which is before the president for signature corrects some of this trouble."

He described as "exasperating" the system of dual exemptions under the victory tax "which coupled with certain family, medical and insurance exemptions, has created a Pandora's box of complications."

Would Eliminate Returns
If the proposal is adopted to have (Continued on Page 2, Col. 2)

German Attack Is Repulsed by Beachhead Army

General Situation Is "Satisfactory"

LONDON, Feb. 13 (AP)—The German-controlled Vichy radio implied tonight that reinforced Allied troops in the Italian invasion bridgehead below Rome had taken the offensive and made some gains.

The broadcast said the Anzio bridgehead forces had received substantial reinforcements in men and material.

By EDWARD KENNEDY

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, ALGIERS, Feb. 13 (AP)—Allied troops in the invasion bridgehead below Rome have regained the initiative in part at least from powerful German forces pressing in upon them, and are striking offensive blows in a fierce see-saw struggle.

Reinforced with fresh troops, the Allies hammered at the Germans near Carroceto (Aprilia), and then threw back a German tank-supported counterattack, headquarters announced, and the over-all situation on the bridgehead is "generally satisfactory."

Allies Confident
This renewed surge of Allied initiative coincided with confident expressions by Allied commanders that the battle for Rome would succeed, and an order of the day by Lt. Gen. Mark W. Clark, Fifth Army commander, that the chance had come to hand the Nazis a great defeat.

Allied planes, including Flying Fortresses and Liberators ordinarily reserved for long range strategic work except when the ground forces are in need of all available support, struck new and heavy blows again yesterday just behind Nazi lines around the bridgehead.

Nazis Use Flame Throwers
"The main clash on the Carroceto sector opened Saturday with an Allied attack making local gains in the so-called factory area of Carroceto. The Germans counterattacked with armor including flamethrower tanks, but were turned back with two tanks lost."

The food-processing factory there changed hands three times, headquarters said, and thus was presumably in Allied hands.

American troops in the Cassino area to the east wrested new strong-points from the Germans inside the town, and two miles to the west of Cassino seized a 1,500-foot hill, knocking back a Nazi counter-thrust.

Nazis Fight Fiercely
The Germans still are resisting fiercely on Mt. Cassino, dominating the town from the northwest and the corridor leading to it, and headquarters announced the Nazis had converted the famous monastery crowning the hill into a fortress, firing on United States forces a few hundred yards away.

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Lull in Submarine Attacks Continues

A continued lull in U-boat attacks on allied and neutral shipping was indicated last week in the Western Atlantic, where for the sixth successive week Axis under-sea marauders were credited with no kills.

An Associated Press tabulation shows that at least 700 cargo carriers have been destroyed by Axis submarines in the Western Atlantic since Pearl Harbor.

Strong Finnish Group Bringing Pressure To Get Out of the War

STOCKHOLM, Monday, Feb. 14 (AP)—The Social Democratic party, Finland's strongest, is exerting heavy pressure on the government to negotiate with Russia for peace, dispatches from Helsinki said today.

The party controls eighty-four of the 200 members of the Finnish parliament.

By EDWIN SHANKE
STOCKHOLM, Feb. 13 (AP)—Three of Finland's leaders headed by Juhani Paasikivi, the ambassador of Peace, were in Stockholm tonight and the world watched for a concrete sign whether Helsinki was moving to an understanding with Moscow.

"There is impenetrable secrecy around government conferences which are being held constantly," said Helsinki dispatches to the Swedish press. "The few who know what is developing are saying nothing."

One rumor, which could not be confirmed, said contact between Helsinki and Moscow had been established at least three days ago and that Paasikivi was waiting to take up from that point because of the skill he has in dealing with the Russians and the respect the Russians hold for him. It was he who negotiated the peace with the Russians at the end of their winter war in 1940.

Leo Elserootti, Finnish minister of the interior, arrived in Stockholm by plane today, to join Paasikivi and Erkkio, former foreign minister. Meanwhile Paasikivi told interviewers he had come to Stockholm to read books he has not been able to get in Finland and to transact private business.

"That may have been true, but it also was true that while doing his reading he would be in a position to act for his government if necessary."

In less than twenty-four hours after his arrival here he was known to have seen Erkkio briefly, met with Erhenroth and had lunch at the Finnish legation. Erkkio yesterday declared Finland was "considering every possible way of finding a road to peace."

Yugoslav, Russian Discord Growing

Former Demands Big Territories

By STEPHEN BARBER
CAIRO, Feb. 13 (AP) — The Yugoslav government-in-exile announced today that the congress of Royalist factions held last month in the mountains of Yugoslavia demanded postwar territorial expansion to include "all territories where Serbs, Croats and Slovenians live."

This announcement came after it was disclosed that a group of middle-of-the-road Yugoslavs in Cairo approached King Peter personally to suggest a coalition policy to unite the opposing Yugoslav factions, but met with no success.

As still a third development, a severe strain in the relations between the Soviet union and the Yugoslav exile government seemed probable after the publication in a Cairo newspaper, at Soviet request, of an attack on King Peter's war minister, Gen. Draza Mihailovic, and a less direct slap at Dr. Bozidar Puric, premier of the exile government.

The Royalist Congress, it was announced, called for the creation of a federal state with Serbia, Croatia and Slovenia as separate federal units and asserted that King Peter was bound by the constitution to remain as sovereign.

It added that "no one has the right therefore, at home or abroad, to dispense with him." Marshal Josip Broz (Tito) and Dr. Ivan Ribar have set up a rival government in Yugoslavia.

Italian Royalist Weekly Suspended

NAPLES, Feb. 13 (AP) — Suspension for a month of the Italian Royalist political weekly *l'Unione*, published in Brindisi, by order of the Allied military authorities was announced today by the psychological warfare branch of the army.

"The penalty was imposed upon the paper because it printed flouting remarks about the former duke, Benito Mussolini, and printed ambiguously insulting remarks about the Allies," the announcement said.

German Attack

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More prisoners taken in the Casano area included men of the German first parachute division, last reported facing the British army on the Adriatic sector. Apparently part of the division has been shifted to the Fifth army front to replace some enemy forces withdrawn from Cassino to the beachhead area.

There was comparatively little activity in the beachhead except for the Carroceto area, but German artillery still pumped shells into all parts of the Allied position.

Allied warships off the beachhead are "lending a hand when necessary," the navy said.

Allied air fleets flew some 500 sorties Saturday despite cloudy, rainy weather, with flying Fortresses smashing at troop concentrations and gun emplacements at Campoleone, fifteen miles north of Anzio.

Canned Fruits

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pack falls below average, civilian supplies would be further reduced.

Orders to Canners

Kitchen said the food distribution order signed Friday requires canners to set aside for military and lend-lease uses from their 1944 production about seventy per cent of their 1942-43 average annual production of fruits and about fifty per cent of their vegetables.

Kitchen said the Office of Distribution now is working on ceiling prices for major fresh fruits and vegetables. "Ceiling prices are already in effect covering ten vegetables," he added, "and it is expected other fresh commodities will be brought under price ceilings as rapidly as possible."

Disney Suggests

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the exact amount of an individual's salary, it will not be necessary at the end of the year for the taxpayer to make a return, Disney said. An issue involved in elimination of the victory tax, the Oklahoma pointed out, is whether "we shall let 9,000,000 taxpayers and take a treasury loss of \$300,000,000." These are the persons who do not make enough money to be subject to regular income taxes.

To avoid this loss, he said, it has been suggested that personal exemptions be lowered.

"But that would run into vigorous opposition," he added.

Farley, Garner

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the Republicans will nominate for president?" Farley replied: "Most Republican leaders whom I have seen think that Tom Dewey and Warren (Governor Earl Warren of California) will compose the ticket."

"Do you believe President Roosevelt will be reelected if he is nominated for a fourth term?" Farley was asked.

"I have some ideas on that but I have no comment to make for publication," he replied.

MEN AND WOMEN IN SERVICE

Seaman Second Class George E. Zimmerman, 421 Franklin street, is spending a twenty-one day leave with his wife and his mother-in-law, Mrs. Lillian Reynolds. Zimmerman, who entered the navy January 12, completed his boot training at Sampson, N. Y., last week.

Mrs. E. L. Cluser, Eckhart, has received word that her son, Pvt. Glenn Cluser, has arrived safely at Camp Barker, Abilene, Texas. Pvt. Cluser, formerly stationed at Kellogg field, Battle Creek, Mich., has been a patient at the station hospital, Ford Center, Mich., and Gardner General Hospital, Chicago, for the past four months.

Pvt. Norman J. White, of Wiley Ford, W. Va., husband of Mrs. Marybelle E. White, is stationed at Keesler field, Miss., for his basic training.

Pvt. James E. Lindsay, son of Thomas C. Lindsay, of 131 Main street, Ridgeley, W. Va., is taking a special course in the wheeled vehicle department at Fort Knox, Ky. The department trains student mechanics in the intricacies of keeping peeps and jeeps, trucks and scout cars rolling in combat.

Sgt. James Stinebaugh, husband of Gay Stinebaugh, and son of Mrs. W. E. Furr, 228 Thomas street, arrived in India. Sgt. Stinebaugh has three brothers in the Army and one in the Navy.

William C. Jacobs, 515 Washington street, this city, and Philip K. W. Hartig, 148 Washington street, Prossburg, are taking pre-flight training at San Antonio, Tex.

Flight Officer Fred H. Burton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles T. Burton, 533 Cumberland street, radio observer navigator of a night squadron, is stationed at Hammer field, Fresno, Calif. Ensign C. O. "Jack" Burns, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Burns, Hyndman, Pa., assistant navigator on a ship, is somewhere at sea. His wife is visiting her brother, Flight Officer Burton at Fresno.

Spl. Carroll Sullivan, husband of Mrs. Charlotte Sullivan, Magruder street, has been transferred from Camp Mackall, N. C., to Nashville, Tenn.

Lt. Robert R. Wilkins, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Wilkins, Jr., 415 Louisiana avenue, has been transferred from Salt Lake City, Utah, to Dalhart, Texas. His brother, Pvt. James J. Wilkins, Jr., has been transferred from Sioux Falls, S. D., to Keesler field, Miss.

Mr. and Mrs. David R. Hahn, this city, received word that their son, Pvt. Charles R. Hahn, arrived at Fort Riley, Kans. He was inducted from Draft Board No. 1, February 12.

Pvt. Robert Sisk, husband of Mrs. Robert Sisk, Pattersons Creek, has been transferred from Camp Hood, Tex., to Camp Maxey, Tex.

Mrs. Raymond Beeman, Mt. Savage, received word that her son, Sheridan W. Beeman, seaman second class, arrived in New Caledonia with the Seabees.

Pvt. Charles W. Welsh, husband of Ora G. Welsh, 619 Leiper street, is stationed at Camp Blanding, Fla., for basic training.

Mrs. Geraldine Fuller, 508 Woodside avenue, received word that her husband, Lee R. Fuller, has been promoted to corporal in England.

John C. Deetz, Jr., seaman second class, has been transferred from Bainbridge to service school, Great Lakes, Ill. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Deetz, 208 Frederick street.

Edward Ryan Langan, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Langan, 109 Wood street, Prossburg, has graduated from the radio school, U. S. Naval Training Station, Miami University, Oxford, O., and been transferred to Washington, D. C., to an advanced school.

Mrs. Charlton Dodds, West Main street, Prossburg, received word that her husband, Pfc. Charlton Dodds and her brother, Corporal Alfred Drew, met recently in North Africa. The young men evidenced the real pleasure of the meeting by embraces. They had not seen each other in two years, both having been overseas a year. Mrs. Dodds has three other brothers serving in the army.

Aviation Cadet Harry Keller, son of Mrs. John Dilley, West Main street, Prossburg, recently inducted, is stationed at Greensboro, N. C.

Pvt. Charles Miller, Lonsconing, is stationed at Fort Belvoir, Va. Mr. and Mrs. James Allen, Sr., Route 1, Prossburg, received word that their son, Pfc. Herbert E. Allen, has arrived at the Hawaiian Islands. He received his basic training at Camp Edwards, Mass.

Seaman 2-C John P. Donahue, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Donahue, Washington street, has been transferred from Bainbridge, Md., to Jacksonville, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. William Esel, Grahams town, received word that their son, Corporal Stanley Esel, has arrived overseas with an army engineering unit.

Mrs. Effie Lafferty, 972 Maryland avenue, received word that her son, Pvt. Robert C. Lafferty, arrived in England. He is serving in the Medical Corps.

Pfc. Michael F. Acre, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Acre, Prossburg, has been transferred from Fort Riley, Kan., to Fort Bragg, N. C. His brother, Pvt. Joseph B. Acre, is stationed in England.

George J. Dunlap, husband of Mrs. Cleo Dunlap, 517 Williams street, is stationed with the Army Air Force at Miami, Fla. Prior to entering the service he was employed at the Celanese plant.

Mr. and Mrs. James Swain, Little Orleans, have been advised of the arrival in Ireland of their son, Pvt. George Swain, a member of the Military Police.

Mr. and Mrs. Colin Bowers, McSavage, received word from the

Polish Government Scored in Russia

MOSCOW, Feb. 13 (AP) — Both Izvestia, official government newspaper, and Red Star, Soviet army organ published accusations against the Polish government-in-exile in London today while the Russian people waited with interest for British reaction to these continued press attacks.

The average Russian expects the British government to take a stand concerning the Polish government in London which has been accused outright here of being an enemy of the Soviet union and an active collaborator of Hitler.

Pravda's report that the British ministry of information had withdrawn its official support from the weekly Polish newspaper published in London, "Wladomosci Poiskie," caused immediate satisfaction here.

Stephen Hopkins Killed in Action

NAMUR, KWAJALEIN ATOLL, MARSHALL ISLANDS, Feb. 13 (AP) — Stephen Hopkins, 18-year-old son of Harry Hopkins, presidential aide, was killed the first night of fighting on Namur islet.

He ran into a crossfire between United States marines and Japanese snipers.

Hopkins, a husky youth, had turned down a chance to get a commission as officers training school, preferring to get a crack at combat fighting as a private. He was a light machine gunner and had been in the marines for seven months.

Hopkins was shot through the head. He was unconscious when medical corpsmen reached him. They took him to a hospital ship, where he died.

Corsairs Destroy 119 Jap Planes

ADVANCED SOUTH PACIFIC AIRBASE, Feb. 5 (Delayed) (AP) — The "fighting Corsairs," hottest marine corps fighter squadron currently on tour in the South Pacific, has destroyed 119 Japanese planes in seventeen weeks of duty but the squadron leader, Maj. Robert G. Owens of Greenville, S. C., is just as proud of another record.

"We think we are among the best bomber cover pilots around these parts," Owens said. "We are very proud of the fact that very few bombers escorted by us over Rabaul or Bougainville have been lost. That's just as important as shooting down Japanese planes."

10 Army Men Die In Plane Crash

ARDMORE, OKLA., Feb. 13 (AP) — Ten of eleven officers and men aboard an army flying fortress were killed when the craft crashed and burned twenty miles east of here. Col. Donald W. Eisenhart announced today.

Eisenhart, commander of the Three Hundred Ninety-fifth combat crew training school, said Corp. James W. Clannahan, a gunner, parachuted safely when the bomber, based at the Ardmore army air field, encountered trouble last night.

Seek Compromise On Soldier Voting

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13 (AP) — A three rejected measure to make state absentee ballots the first choice in voting by servicemen and women overseas bobbed up again today as a compromise measure to end a Congressional wrangle on the subject.

The bill, sponsored by Senator Taft (R-Ohio), would allow use of a federal ballot by members of the armed services only if they fail to get a state ticket. It is backed by most Republicans and southern "states rights" Democrats in the Senate.

Niagara Falls Woman Murdered

NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y., Feb. 13 (AP) — The body of a woman, who Detective Captain Robert C. Fitzsimmons said had been murdered, was found today in a vacant house a short distance from her home.

Fitzsimmons identified the woman as Mrs. Dorothy Newkard, 40, mother of eight children, and said she had been missing since Thursday when she left her apartment to go shopping.

He said her body was frozen and there were marks on her throat and indications she had been raped.

Concealed Bombs Explode in Jerusalem

JERUSALEM, Feb. 13 (AP) — A number of concealed bombs exploded today in the Palestine immigration offices in Tel Aviv and Haifa, causing extensive damage and injuring a policeman. Three unexploded bombs were discovered.

(This brief dispatch, which passed through British censorship, did not indicate the origin of the explosives.)

Margaret W. Wilson Dies in India

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 13 (AP) — Mrs. Eleanor Wilson McAdoo said today she was advised by cablegram that her sister, Margaret Woodrow Wilson, 57, eldest of the late president's three daughters, died Saturday of uremia in Pondichery, India.

Navy Department said that their son, Edward Bowers, is confined to the hospital at Great Lakes Naval Training Base with a fractured collar bone and other injuries received in an accident.

Yankee Senorita

BY LORENA CARLETON

CHAPTER FORTY-FOUR

Mallory's fury because of her manager's neglect grew daily. "Five days and not a word!" she screamed to Prism, when she no longer could stand his silence.

"Well," reminded Prism, "you told him you wanted to be left alone."

"That was when I thought I'd be vacationing. The same rule does not hold when I'm working. And, boy, am I working!" She waved a pair of shears. "I even have to do my own newspaper clipping."

"You could have brought your secretary along. Ain't Mr. Tod's place to do none of that?"

Mallory carefully cut her image from the front of the Mexican magazine. Lopez had caught when she did not know it. Although some were not flattering, she liked them anyway and they went right along with the long printed columns that she knew were about her simply because her name occurred often among the Spanish words.

"Secretary!" she finally spat.

"Why should I bring a secretary on a vacation? And furthermore, why shouldn't Mr. Patrick help me when he has nothing else to do. Sitting down there beneath a lime tree, I'll bet, behaving like most of the Latin. Just dreaming and listening to music—I hear there is a wonderful guitar player and singer there named Vincente. Prism, I want to go to Tuxedo." She put down her shears.

Prism put down her iron. She had been pressing her mistress' hyacinth-blue lace dress, its readiness for the first concert.

"Now look here, Miss Mallory, don't you get me any ideas. I know what you're thinking!"

"All right. Why shouldn't I go to Tuxedo?"

The Negress leaned on the ironing board on her plump elbows. "Why shouldn't you?" she retorted. "Can't you get along without seeing Mr. Tod?"

"I can't get along without giving him a piece of my mind!" She picked up the shears again. Her shoulders were rigid.

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Postwar Planning Will Be Subject of Chamber Of Commerce Meeting

Postwar planning will be the subject of discussion by members of the Cumberland Chamber of Commerce at a dinner meeting at 6:30 p. m. Thursday, February 24, at the All Ghan Shrine Country Club.

The findings of the postwar planning committee will be presented and a panel discussion of Cumberland's problems will be held under the direction of Edmund S. Burke, committee chairman.

In announcing the meeting, Harold W. Smith, secretary of the chamber of commerce, pointed out that regardless of line of activity, individuals should take a decided interest in the economic position of Cumberland when war ceases.

"The time to be prepared to meet these problems is now," Smith stated. "It is a big job and will require the ingenuity and thinking of all groups of citizens if we are to be successful in solving it."

Reservations for the dinner are to be made before February 22.

Zion Reformed Church Honors Fifteen Members In Service of Country

Fourteen young men and one young woman were honored by members of Zion Evangelical and Reformed church at services yesterday morning when the church honor roll was dedicated.

Miss Phyllis McElfish, who entered the WAVES about a week ago, was the young woman and the service men honored, in the order of their entrance into the armed forces, were William R. Hout, Ralph W. Frazier, Paul W. Reuhl, Emory C. Metger, Henry Klein, Edward C. Ackerman, Vernon E. Hafer, Louis W. Aldridge, Robert P. George, Karl R. McElfish, Wayne S. Swager, Edward P. Joyce, Richard K. Markel and Frederick Klein.

Present for the dedication was Fred M. E. Grove, II, son of the late Rev. Fred M. E. Grove, former pastor of the church.

The sermon was delivered by the Rev. James B. Musser, of Rockwood, Pa., and John A. Krelling read the honor roll. It was accepted in behalf of the young people by Mrs. Russell Klein, who has two sons in the service. W. W. Markel made the presentation. Special music was also featured in the service.

Condition of Boy Hurt In Sled Accident Is Good

George Reynolds, 8, son of Mrs. Eva Reynolds, 507 Dilley street, was in a good condition last night in Allegany hospital where he was admitted Friday afternoon, after the sled upon which he was riding collided with a truck operated by Edward Shober, of 530 Columbia street, at the intersection of Fairview avenue and Dilley street.

Joseph McDonald, 50, of Corri-ganville, employed at the Kelly-Springfield Tire Company plant, was treated yesterday at Memorial hospital for a fractured left arm, suffered while at work. He was rolling fabric when his arm was pinned against a box car, attaches were told.

Mortgage Is Burned By Fire Company

Celebrating its debt free status on both building and equipment, members of the Cresaptown Volunteer Fire Department, their wives and auxiliary members held a mortgage burning ceremony Saturday evening.

The ceremony was preceded by a banquet and followed by a dance with two orchestras following one another to the band stand. Estel C. Kelley, Cumberland attorney, was the principal speaker.

Local Army Nurse Meets Her Brother in Italy

Lieut. Ruth Hamilton, serving in the United States Army Nursing Corps in Italy, notified her sister, Mrs. J. R. Parsons, 9 Mulien street, that recently she met her brother Staff Sgt. Allan Lee Hamilton in Italy. This is the first time they have seen each other in the past two years.

Sgt. Hamilton, formerly of this city, enlisted in the United States Air Corps, September, 1942.

Mountain District Head Urges Veterans To Retain Insurance

Retention of war risk insurance by men leaving the armed services is urged by Thomas F. Conlon, chairman of the Mountain District Veterans Association.

Interviewing discharged war veterans who came to his office last week for assistance in filing mustering-out pay applications, Conlon stated that he was amazed to learn that twenty-five of the men had dropped their insurance. He declared that the men were not properly advised and assisted sixteen of the veterans in reinstating their insurance.

Conlon stated that the premium on a \$10,000 policy averages about \$6.50 a month and on a \$5,000 policy about \$3.25 monthly.

The Mountain District Veterans Association office in the Liberty Trust building will be open today from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m., and from 7 to 9 p. m., to handle claims and assist the men with mustering-out pay applications.

Three hundred and ten applications for mustering-out payments were completed by the association staff last week.

Payroll Savings Plan Promotes Purchases Of Bonds at Kelly

With over ninety per cent of employees of the Kelly-Springfield Tire Company subscribing to the payroll deduction plan for bonds, paid up bonds were delivered to 764 individual purchasers in January, a company spokesman announced yesterday. The majority of these were the \$18.75 Series E bonds with a maturity value of \$25. However, quite a number of \$50 and \$100 bonds were also delivered.

The total present value of bonds delivered in January to Kelly employees was a little over \$16,000, with a maturity value of \$21,350. These figures, of course, represent purchases made through payroll deductions and do not include the extra bonds, which it is known a great many Kelly employees have purchased through banks or in connection with the bond rally recently sponsored by the Retail Merchants association.

Washington Paper Named In \$500 Damage Suit

Suit for \$500 damages resulting from an automobile collision on October 7, 1943, was filed in circuit court Friday by the State of Maryland for the use of the state department of health, against Harry L. O'Rourke and the Washington Times Herald.

The collision occurred at the intersection of Shawnee avenue and Holland street and O'Rourke, who was driving his own car in pursuit of his employment as an agent of the newspaper, is charged with reckless and negligent driving.

The other automobile involved was a state car operated by a public health nurse.

Robert MacDonald Bruce is attorney for the plaintiffs.

Two Absolute Divorce Decrees Are Granted

Two decrees of absolute divorce were granted by Associate Judge William A. Huster in circuit court Friday.

On grounds of desertion, Mrs. Leatha Juanita Daniels received an absolute divorce from John Linton Daniels and was given the right to resume use of her maiden name, Leatha Juanita Smith. She was represented by Morris Baron, attorney.

A decree of absolute divorce was also granted to Elsie C. Orndorff from George W. Orndorff, Edward J. Ryan was attorney for the plaintiff.

Damage Claims from every day accidents are no laughing matter

When you have the bills to pay—for damage to property or injury to persons—this matter of personal liability is no joke. Just as you carry automobile liability insurance because you know you are likely to be faced with a damage claim if your car is involved in an accident, so too, there is definite need for insurance to cover claims for injury or damage resulting from something you or some member of your household has done—or failed to do—around your home, in your recreation or in your every day personal activities. The new policy developed to meet that need is the

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Events in Brief

Mrs. Howard Perrin will be hostess to members of the Pleasant Grove Homemakers Club at 7:30 o'clock tomorrow evening at her home, Baltimore Pike. Following the business session a Valentine party will be held.

St. Stephens Circle of Emmanuel Episcopal church will meet at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. John G. Lynn, 528 Cumberland street.

The fourth quarterly meeting of the Ursuline Alumnae will meet at 8 o'clock tomorrow evening in the assembly room of St. Peter and Paul school, with Miss Madelyn Wallace presiding.

The Wahaba Temple, DOKK will meet at 8 o'clock tomorrow evening at the temple, Prospect square.

The Girl Scout Council meeting will be held at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the little house.

The Mary-Martha Bible class of Grace Baptist church will meet at 7:30 o'clock tomorrow evening at the church.

Maryland Chapter, Delta Theta Chi sorority will be entertained by Miss Mary Rice and Mrs. John Stark at a Valentine party at 8 o'clock this evening at the former's home, 404 Washington street.

The Ladies Bible class of Grace Methodist church will meet at 7:30 o'clock tomorrow evening at the class rooms at the church.

Sketches featuring Washington and Lincoln will be presented at the meeting of the Crescap Revolution of the American Revolution, Daughters of the American Revolution, at 2:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. John Findlay, South Centre street. Mrs. Ralph Henry will be in charge of the program and Miss Fan Lloyd will preside.

Mrs. Albert Snelson will be hostess to members of the Corri-ganville Homemakers Club at 1:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at her home in Corri-ganville.

The Margaret Brown Circle of Trinity Methodist church will meet at 7:30 o'clock tomorrow evening at the home of Mrs. Ina Hixson, Lexington avenue.

Sixty-five couples attended the DeMolay Alumni Valentine party Friday evening at the All Ghan Shrine Country Club. Music was by Jimmy Andrews and his orchestra and Myron Landis served as master of ceremonies.

The Mapleseed Homemakers Club will meet at 1:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Leo Darr, 621 Oldtown road.

A Valentine party will be held by the Cresaptown Parent-Teacher Association at 8 o'clock this evening in the school auditorium. An amateur program will be presented and refreshments will be served.

Maryland Omicron Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi sorority will entertain members of Lambda chapter at a Valentine party at 8 o'clock tomorrow evening at the Fort Cumberland hotel. Miss Dorothy Campbell is chairman and is being assisted by Mrs. Alpha O'Neil and Mrs. Lucille Lyons.

Allegany Hi-Y Holds Dog-Patch Shuffle

Mary Ann Heinrich was elected Daisy May and James McFarland, Lil' Abner at the Allegany Hi-Y, "Dog-Patch Shuffle," Saturday evening at the school. Admission was by war stamps with one vote awarded for a 10 stamp and three for a twenty-five cent stamp. They were crowned by Miss Eleanor Jenkins, advisor of the club, and ruled over the party.

The Dog-Patch motif was carried out in the decorations with a life size painting of Daisy May and Lil' Abner at one end of the gymnasium opposite the thrones. Predominating the decorations was a clothesline with red flannels and other garments. Drawings of various other characters from the Lil' Abner comic strip decorated the other walls.

The music was by Al Hart and his orchestra and the dances were dedicated to the boys who had entered the service recently. They are William Howars, Wilbur Hill, Russell Boyd, Lawrence Grove, Sidney Goodman, Vincent Thompson, Robert Lucas, Wayne Driver, Frank Burton, George Wadsworth, Arthur Rush, Mervyl Kline, James Simmons and Charles Shaffer.

John Sproat entertained with several selections on his accordion and a tap dance number. Refreshments were served.

Announce Marriage

The marriage of Miss Bettie Louise Reid to Pvt. Warren Lee Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Davis, Potomac Park, has been announced by Mr. and Mrs. Jack D. Harkins, 312 Washington street, step-father and mother of the bride. The ceremony was performed at 12:30 o'clock February 11, in St. John's Lutheran church, with the Rev. Edward P. Heinze officiating. Miss Doris Phillips and John Carwell were the attendants.

The bride is a graduate of Fort Hill high school and is employed in the Union street office of the

Boy Scout Fund Drive Opens Today In Tri-Towns Area

Sectional Quota Is \$900; Ira Ryan Is Chairman of Finance Committee

By DAISY BERISFORD

WESTERNPORT, Feb. 13 — The Tri-Towns district will begin tomorrow a financial drive to raise its quota of \$900 in the \$7,200 budget to be obtained for operation of Potomac Council Boy Scouts of America.

Ira Ryan is chairman of the finance committee for the Tri-Towns and Raymond Hudson is assistant chairman.

Mrs. Eliza Dabney Dies

Mrs. Eliza M. Dabney, 77, died Friday evening in Potomac Valley hospital, Keyser, W. Va., where she had been ill with pneumonia. She was the wife of Edward Dabney who died last September. Mrs. Dabney is survived by three grandsons, James and William Harris both stationed overseas, and George Harris, Detroit, Mich. The body is at the Fredlock funeral home.

Miss Fanny Hughes Rites

Funeral services for Miss Fanny Hughes, 65, a former resident of Westernport, who died Tuesday in St. Louis, Mo., were conducted yesterday afternoon from the Fredlock funeral home, Piedmont, W. Va.

The Rev. Robert Vining, pastor of the Presbyterian church, officiated and interment was in Philo cemetery. Pallbearers were Charles A. Boyles, John Martin, Luther Wright and J. David Thomas.

Miss Hughes was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. James Hughes and a sister of the late Jacob W. Hughes of Westernport.

Mrs. Lula Fazenbaker Rites

Funeral services for Mrs. Lula Seckman Fazenbaker, 72, former resident of Westernport, who died Tuesday at the home of her son, Norris Fazenbaker, West New York, N. J., were conducted this afternoon from the United Brethren church here. The Rev. C. B. Caplinger, pastor, officiated and burial was in Philo cemetery.

Pallbearers were Norris Munie, Walter Riley, Joseph Kline, Jack Travis, Joseph Rhoad, Leonard Murphy, Howard Brennenman and William Ford. Flower bearers were Phyllis Ravenscroft, Betty Ravenscroft, Fern Martin, Mary Katherine Ford, Nettie Dawson, Joy Glynn, Jean Hamilton and Betty Shoop.

Word was received here yesterday that Clifton Shobe, Patterson Creek, has pneumonia.

Brief Mention

Mrs. Fahey's home group of Bruce high school will hold a public skating party Monday night, February 14, at the K. of P. armory, Piedmont. The proceeds will be used to buy a

College To Offer Courses in Two Fields of Work

Educational Statistics and Model Novel Chosen for Night Classes

FROSTBURG, Feb. 13.—The registration for evening classes at Frostburg State Teachers College on Thursday evening, February 10, showed sufficient interest in two fields of work to offer two courses. Dr. John A. Cooper will offer a course in educational statistics. This course is usually included in the professional equipment of all teachers who have four years of training. It is one of the technical tools that is needed in reading educational literature and in interpreting the general test data in the classroom.

Dr. Dorothy G. Howard will offer a course in the modern novel that will survey the recent developments in that field and examine quite carefully the work of a number of the leading novelists of the day. Both of these courses will be accredited towards the degree at the college. The first meeting of the class will be at 7:15 at the college on February 15. It will be appreciated if those who are interested will bring it to the attention of others.

Eagles Plan Banquet

Frostburg Aerie, No. 1273, Fraternal Order of Eagles, will observe its thirty-eighth anniversary Tuesday evening, 7 o'clock, with a banquet at the Gunter hotel. The anniversary address will be delivered by Noel Speir Cook, local attorney and member of the aerie. Thomas H. Morgan, secretary, will be toastmaster. The affair will be open to Eagles and women members of their families and the Ladies Social club of the Eagles.

Will Hold Honor Court

Wild Rose Girl Scout troop, sponsored by the Gleaners Sunday school class of First Methodist church, will hold a court of honor Monday evening, 7:15 o'clock, in the lecture room of the church. Parents of the scouts and members of the Gleaners class are asked to attend.

Pays Official Visit

Mrs. Jane Dean, associate dean of the Academy of Friendship, Women of the Moose, Washington, D. C., paid official visit to the local chapter Thursday evening. She lauded Florence Crowe, secretary of the Frostburg chapter, for the fine manner in which she keeps the records. The chapter bought a two hundred dollar was bond. Following the business meeting, the annual Valentine party was held.

Carter Rites Held

Funeral services for Robert L. Carter, 54, who died Wednesday at Miners hospital, were held Friday, 2:30 p. m., at Salem Evangelical and Reformed church, with the Rev. George L. Wehler, pastor, officiating. The pallbearers were George McLuckie, Delbert Gnegy and Walter E. Hunter. Interment was in Allegheny cemetery. Mr. Carter, who resided at 54 Beall street, was an active member and deacon of the Reformed church for many years.

Frostburg Briefs

Mr. and Mrs. Emory G. Robinette, Star Route, Frostburg, announce the birth of a daughter, Wednesday at Miners hospital. Mr. Robinette has been serving overseas for the past three months with the U. S. Merchant Marine Service. Mrs. Robinette is the former Miss Edna Blocher.

Mr. and Mrs. Bray Thompson, 3 Taylor street, announce the birth of a daughter Saturday morning at Miners hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. John Crowe, 156 McCulloh street, announce the birth

Hampshire County's Application for Bus Is Approved by ODT

HAGERSTOWN, Feb. 13.—The Office of Defense Transportation has approved an application for a complete new school bus for use by the Hampshire County Board of Education, Romney, W. Va., in providing the necessary transportation for school children. The release of the new equipment was recommended by the West Virginia Department of Education.

In announcing approval of the application, Edward R. Gishburn, district manager of the Division of Motor Transport, Hagerstown, emphasized the serious shortage of new buses and the consequent need for the strictest conservation of all school buses — old as well as new.

of a daughter Wednesday at Miners hospital.

Mrs. Ada Long, Cumberland, vice president of the Mountain district, American Legion Auxiliary, will pay an official visit to Farraday unit, Monday, 8 p. m. Ensign Muriel Wardwell, SPAR officer in charge of recruiting for Maryland, will show an official coast guard film.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Kyle, Spring street, received word that their son, Corp. Harold Kyle, inducted into the army air corps December 28, 1942, has arrived safely in England. Another son, Corp. Laurence F. Kyle, is stationed at Camp Campbell, Ky.

Miss Jane Botsford, Cumberland, will speak on "Mexico" before the Eva Jeffries Sunday school class of First Methodist church, Monday, 8 p. m., at the home of Miss Virginia Neff, 32 Beall street. Miss Mabel Myers and Mrs. Oliver Simons will be assistant hostesses. Miss Margaret Jones will sing Mexico lore songs and Miss Datha Thomas will render violin solos.

Mr. and Mrs. John O. Walker, Water street, announce the birth of twins, a boy and a girl, Friday evening at the Memorial hospital, Cumberland. Mrs. Walker is the former Miss Sue Parks, Cumberland.

The Parent-Teacher Association of Hill Street school will present a Founders day play, "Building of True Victory," Monday evening, 8 o'clock. Teachers will be in the class rooms at 7:30 to discuss with parents problems of their children. Mrs. Lucretia Groves, 159 West Main street, announces the engagement of her daughter, Marguerite, to Norman Hildreth, Ph. M. 1-C, son of Mrs. W. J. Hildreth, of 15521 Auburn, Detroit, Mich.

Frostburg Personals

Mrs. Emma V. Metzger, 33 Frost avenue, has accepted a position in Baltimore with the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, and will leave Saturday, February 19, to assume her new duties.

Clarence Cook, Grahamstown, is a patient at Miners hospital.

Mrs. John H. Llewellyn, the former Miss Gloria Sweeney, who resided her mother, Mrs. Lorna Sweeney, Frost avenue, left to join her husband, Lieut. Llewellyn, who is taking an advanced course in officers' instructor school, Nashville, Tenn.

Mrs. Kendall Twigg, 27 Linden street, is a patient at Memorial hospital, Cumberland, where she underwent a major operation Tuesday, February 8.

Pharmacist's Mate 2-C, Bernard Leese, Jr., who has been stationed at the Bainbridge naval training station for fifteen months, spent the weekend with his father, Bernard Leese, Sr., 117 East Main street. He has completed a course in roentgenology and X-ray work and is expecting a transfer to another naval base.

Pvt. Earl C. Dennison, U. S. M. C., is home on a ten-day furlough.

Miss Mary Custer, Baltimore, is spending a week's vacation with her mother and other relatives in Eckhart.

Explorers called New Guinea "Island of Gold" in the fourteenth century, but the name was not justified until twenty years ago when British explorers hit "pay dirt."

Lonaconing Legion Auxiliary Will Hold Installation

Mrs. Ada Long, District Vice President, Will Conduct Ceremony

By MARIE MEERBACH
LONA CONING, Feb. 13.—The James P. Love Post Unit No. 92, American Legion auxiliary will hold installation ceremonies for officers on Wednesday, February 16, at 7:30 o'clock.

Officers to be installed are Mrs. Christina Spiker, president; Miss Betty Lou Rankin, and Mrs. Matilda Stevenson, vice presidents; Mrs. Jessie Abbott Smith, secretary; Mrs. Marion Castle, treasurer; Mrs. Marie Baumann, historian; Mrs. Agnes McConnell, chaplain; Mrs. Margaret Bauman, sergeant-at-arms; Miss Jennie Mae Bradley and Miss Ursuline Cosgrove, color bearers.

Mrs. Ada Long, Mountain district, vice president, American Legion auxiliary, department of Maryland, will conduct the ceremonies. Following the installation and business meeting refreshments will be served.

The American Legion James P. Love Unit No. 92 and the Post auxiliary are conducting a drive to salvage old records. Any used or broken records may be remade and sent to service men on all battle fronts. Persons having records are requested to contact any member of the James P. Love Post or the auxiliary or records may be left at the American Legion club room.

Past Chiefs Hold Supper

The Past Chiefs association held its annual covered dish supper Thursday evening for the following newly installed officers of Morning Star Temple: Margaret Gardner, Martha Eichhorn, Hattie Fisher, Jane Park, Elizabeth Fisher, Hannah Grindie, Margaret Duckworth, Jennie Smith, Ollie Eichhorn, Mary Reidler, Mae Matthews, Mae Donaldson, Nellie Miller, Eva Boettcher, Sara Marshall, Isabel Elbeek, Agnes Miller, Janet Burt, Ella Braznell, Edith Holder, Blanche Henry, Sara Schramm and Ellen Creighton.

Following officers were guests: Bessie Ricker, Margaret Frizzell, Margaret Sloan, Catherine Stevenson, Fay Turnbull, Isabel Moses, Margaret Arnold and Margaret Hutcheson.

Morning Star Temple No. 1, Pythian Sisters, will meet on Monday evening at the Knights of Pythias hall. A Valentine program will be presented after the business meeting.

William McIndoe Dies

William Haddow McIndoe died suddenly Saturday morning at 6:30 a. m. at his home, 12 West Main street.

He was a son of the late William Robert and Elizabeth Muir McIndoe. He was a member of James P. Love Post No. 92, American Legion, and the Presbyterian church.

Mr. McIndoe is survived by his widow, Mrs. Christine Turnbull McIndoe; one son, William Robert McIndoe, a brother, Hugh McIndoe, of Punksutawney, Pa.; a sister, Mrs. Frank Thompson, of Baltimore; and his step-mother, Mrs. Annie Reed McIndoe.

Red Cross Work Reported

A report on Red Cross activities in Lonaconing includes donations of \$450 from the Detmold Parent-Teacher association; \$750 from the Jackson Parent-Teacher association; \$575 from the surgical dressing classes and \$15 from the Goodwill Volunteer Fire Company No. 1.

One hundred thirty-three army and navy kits have been sent from the Lonaconing chapter. One hundred forty-seven articles comprised of kits, stretcher pads, sweaters and slippers have been sent during the month of January.

Mrs. Robert McGibbon has been in structing two classes in home nursing. The adult class has seventeen members and the high school class eighteen members. The women of the vicinity are urged to attend the sewing classes held on Mondays and the surgical dressing classes held on Wednesdays and Thursdays.

Brief Mention

A Valentine round and square dance will be held Monday evening from 7:30 o'clock until midnight at the International Order of Odd Fellows hall with dancing to the music of the Melody Monarchs and the Bomb-Shells. Men and women in the service will be admitted free.

Troop No. 42, Lonaconing Boy Scouts, attended the Sunday evening services at the Methodist church. The Rev. John Edward Stacks, minister, delivered the sermon.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Duckworth, St. Mary's terrace, announce the birth of a daughter Thursday in the Hodgson clinic. Mrs. Duckworth is the former Miss Leona Skaken.

James Green, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Green, is a surgical patient in Memorial hospital, Cumberland.

Pvt. James Gowans has returned to Camp Adair, Ore., after visiting relatives here.

Pvt. Charles Miller is stationed at Fort Belvoir, Va.

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Pre-Lenten Card Party Scheduled By Court Theresa

Mt. Savage Catholic Daughters Will Hold Event Tuesday

MT. SAVAGE, Feb. 13.—Court Theresa, No. 557, Catholic Daughters of America will hold its annual pre-Lenten card party Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock in St. Patrick's hall. Five hundred will be played and prizes will be awarded. Miss Sadie Kenny has been appointed chairman of the committee in charge of the arrangements.

Mt. Savage Briefs

The Rebecca Arnold Chapter of the Eastern Star will sponsor a 500 party Thursday evening at 8 o'clock in the Junior Order hall. The committee in charge of arrangements includes Mrs. Robert Pollock, Sr., Mrs. Ralph Lashley, Mrs. James House and Mrs. Chris Pollock.

An important meeting of the Mt. Savage Girl Scout troop will be held Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the recreation hall of the Methodist church. Final arrangements will be made for work on the new troop project. Mrs. George Houck, Scout leader, will be in charge.

The Youth Fellowship organization of St. George's church will meet Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the parish hall of the church.

The members of the Mt. Savage volunteer fire department will meet Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the firemen's hall.

Personals

Lieut. Rose V. O'Rourke, A. N. C., and Lieut. Kitty Clark, A. N. C., Fort Sills, Oklahoma, are visiting Lieut. O'Rourke's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Patrick O'Rourke.

Mrs. Daniel Arnold, Sr., underwent a major operation Thursday morning at Johns Hopkins hospital, Baltimore. She was accompanied to Baltimore by her husband.

Mrs. John Meanyhan returned yesterday after visiting relatives in Detroit.

Parsons River City Club Committees Are Appointed

By HELEN COLLETT

PARSONS, Feb. 14.—Gordon C. Cade, newly installed president of the River City club of Parsons, named the following committees to serve for the coming year at a meeting Friday evening in the Main Street restaurant:

Recreational: C. M. Stalnaker, chairman, R. K. McClain, Elmer Ours, Sr., and Earl Corcoran; membership: Wayne K. Pritt, chairman, Herbert Smith and A. Frank Little; attendance: Rueben C. Boyles, chairman, and Dr. Rodney A. Barb; reception: Dr. W. E. Whitesides, chairman, J. Kenton Lambert and W. Denzil Keck; house: Hubert B. Lake, chairman; Dr. Guy Michaels, A. B. Simpson and E. G. Moorman.

Publicity: R. K. McClain, chairman, Ellis J. VonHaven, Fred Long and J. Plummer Baker; finance: Hubert Lake, chairman, Lloyd Pankhouser and Wayne K. Pritt; agriculture: Cecil M. Stalnaker, chairman, Frank Little, Fred Long and Forrest O. Allman; road: C. W. Harvey, chairman, W. K. Pritt, Louis Spangler, and Stark L. Coberly; music: Dr. W. E. Whitesides and Forrest Allman; liaison: Rueben C. Boyles, chairman, C. M. Stalnaker and C. H. Graham.

Personals

Ray McManus, 25, of Kempton, was taken to an Elkins hospital on Friday morning from injuries he received when a fall of coal landed on him while he was working in Davis Coal and Coke Mine No. 42 of Kempton. X-rays revealed that he had received a fracture of the left shoulder bone and his left leg mashed.

Miss Dorothy Hathaway, Hendricks, left this week for Washington, D. C., where she has accepted a position with the post office department there.

Jean Reed, seven-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Judson Reed of Bretz, is improving in the Tucker County hospital where she has been in a serious condition.

Miss Nancy Shaffer, shipping clerk for the Davis Coal and Coke Company, of Thomas, underwent a major operation in the Memorial hospital in Cumberland on Friday.

Miss Grace Mitchell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Mitchell, of Hendricks, was taken to an Elkins hospital on Friday evening where she underwent an emergency operation.

Word has been received here of the promotion of Albert H. Gilmore, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gilmore, of Parsons, to the rank of sergeant. Sgt. Gilmore is stationed with the air corps in the Island of Trinidad, British West Indies.

Elmer Simmons, son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Simmons, of Parsons, has been promoted to the rank of corporal in the United States Army. He is stationed at Fort Knox, Ky.

Mrs. Lillie S. Auvil, St. George, has received word that her son, John B. Auvil, has been promoted to the rank of sergeant in the army air forces training command basic pilot school, Perrin Field, Texas.

Cpl. Russell Tiesing and Pfc. Fred Tiesing, who have both been stationed in Alaska for the past two and one-half years, are spending

Former Meyersdale Girl Becomes Bride Of Hanover Man

Diller L. Beard Weds Miss Margaret V. Collins in Baltimore

By W. W. SHOEMAKER
MEYERSDALE, Pa., Feb. 13.—Mr. and Mrs. George W. Collins, former residents of Meyersdale, now residents of Baltimore, announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Margaret V. Collins, to Diller L. Beard, Hanover, Pa., at the home of the bride, Saturday, January 29, at 6:30 o'clock. The Rev. John F. Arneal, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, Hillen Road, officiated.

Miss Mary Susan Collins, sister of the bride, served as bridesmaid, and Raymond Cormier, was best man.

The bride was attired in a blue wool suit and a three-quarter length coat of watermelon pink. She wore a white straw hat and a corsage of white roses. Shortly after the reception held at the home of the bride, the couple left on their honeymoon trip, and upon their return they will be at home at 2709 Fenwick avenue, Baltimore.

The bride is presently employed at the First National bank, of Baltimore, and her husband, is an instructor stationed aboard the maritime training ship, "American Navigator."

Marriage Is Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bittner, Boynton, announce the marriage of their daughter, Pauline Bittner, to Pvt. John LeRoy, Heidelberg, Pa. The ceremony was performed in the St. Paul Methodist church, Hagerstown, Friday, January 28, at 6:30 p. m. The Rev. H. C. Marsh.

The bride was attired in a light blue suit with blue accessories. Following the wedding the bride couple were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Smith, Hagerstown, brother-in-law and sister of the bride. After a brief honeymoon in Pittsburgh, the bride returned to Cascade, where she is employed, while the bride-groom returned to his duties at the nearby army post, Camp Ritchie.

Brief Mention

Friday evening the Young People's groups of the Church of the Brethren invited the young people of other local churches to hear an address by the Rev. Jacob T. Dick, pastor of the Berkey church, near Windber. During the social hour which followed, games were played and light refreshments were served. Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Peck returned yesterday from Johnston, where they were the guest for several days of Mr. and Mrs. George May.

First Lieut. Robert Downie, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Downie, North street, has been awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross for extraordinary achievement in the Southwest Pacific theatre of war. Lieut. Downie has been overseas since last September. He joined army air forces in April, 1941, and was transferred to the air service in April, 1942.

Pfc. Donald Engle, who spent a fourteen-day furlough with his wife and young son, and also his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Engle, left Wednesday for Kelly Field, Tex., where he is serving with a gyroscopic aircraft instrument mechanic group. Seaman Robert Horchner, of the merchant marine, spent several days last week visiting his mother, Mrs. Andrew Horchner, following another voyage at sea.

Mrs. George T. May, who spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Annie Hady, and her sister, Mrs. Henry T. Walter, 128 Large street, returned to her home in Johnston, yesterday.

Russell E. Yoder, seaman second class, who completed his boot training at the naval training station, Sampson, N. Y., has arrived here to spend a furlough with his home folks.

Pfc. Harold Mosholder of the United States Marine Corps, stationed at Newport, R. I., who was granted leave of absence to attend the funeral of his mother, the late Mrs. G. E. Mosholder, returned Friday to resume his camp duties.

Cpl. Robert E. Peck, who spent a thirteen day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Peck, at "Fairfield Farm," returned yesterday to Camp Ellis, Ill., where he is serving with the medical corps.

Natives of Yap in the Caroline Island group are known for their stone money—huge disks resembling millstones which sometimes are as large as twelve feet in diameter.

ing their first visit home in that time with their mother, Mrs. Dora Eckard, of Hambleton.

Pvt. James Shaban is spending his first visit in two years with his parents in St. George. He has been stationed in Puerto Rico on police patrol duty.

Pvt. Okey Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson A. Williams, of Bull Run, has completed his training in New York City and has been transferred to Camp Ellis, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Nestor, of Bull Run, have received word that their son, Charles W. Nestor, has been transferred to North Ireland after having served in both North Africa and Italy with the United States Army.

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Leather case containing two Rosaries, Black Silver Reward. Return Robert Langan, 109 Wood St., Frostburg.
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Sgt. C. L. Johnson Reported Missing On Routine Flight

Keyser Man Was Bomber Engineer at Morrison Field, Fla.

By LUKE McDOWELL
KEYSER, W. Va., Feb. 13.—Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Johnson, 462 Barnes street, received word from the War department Friday that their son, Staff Sgt. Charles L. Johnson, has been missing after a routine air craft flight at Morrison Field, Fla. He had been in the service for seventeen months and was engineer on a B-24 bomber.

Sgt. Johnson was a graduate of Keyser high school, class of 1936. Before entering the service he was employed with the Celanese Corporation of America, Cumberland. He has a brother, Morrell Johnson, serving with the army somewhere in England, and a sister, Mrs. Lucy Jordan of Ridgeville.

Boy Scouts Hold Banquet

A week of intensive Boy Scout activities culminated in the annual scout banquet in the dining hall of Grace Methodist church, Friday night. Dr. Thomas Bess, New Creek district chairman, acted as toastmaster. The program consisted of the following:

Presentation of the colors, Chester Bishoff, assisted by a number of Scouts; invocation, the Rev. H. S. Myerly, pastor of Grace church. The dinner, served by the ladies of Grace church; season of songs, the Rev. Charles Ambrose, Fort Ashby, W. Va., director, and Miss Mary Doughty, pianist; address, the Rev. Lucy H. Burns, pastor First Methodist church; court of honor, Lester R. McDowell, chairman of advancement. The following awards were made: perfect attendance certificates: one year, Jimmy Robinson, Marshall Hixenbaugh, Tommy Quinn, Marion Dorsey, Jacob Dorsey and Fred Blamer; three years, Bill Bishoff and Charles Johnson.

Advanced to first class scouts: Don Allamong, Curtis Rotruck, Gibson Jaworek, Jimmie Shyrook and Tommy Quinn; life scouts: Glenn O. Workman and Marshall Hixenbaugh; tenderfoot scouts: Robert Dayton, Norval Stanley, Charles Johnson, Gibby Sander, Jimmy Shyrook, Jimmy Robinson and Curtis Rotruck.

Merit badges: Jack Dorsey, reading; Gibson Jaworek, swimming, reading, first aid and safety; Curtis Rotruck, swimming and carpentry; Fred Blamer, swimming and athletics; Robert Shank, swimming; Richard Cline, swimming and dairying; Billy Buckaley, cycling and woodwork; Tommy Quinn, first aid; Bill Bishoff, pathfinding and carpentry; Eugene Davis, pathfinding; Marvin Dorsey, pioneering and athletics; Marshall Hixenbaugh, athletics; Glenn O. Workman, athletics and carpentry; Larry Proudfoot, carpentry; Douglas Spencer, carpentry; Charles Johnson, carpentry and Jimmy Shyrook, carpentry.

Kenneth Jackson, scout executive, Potomac Council, presented the Davis Memorial Award to troops 27 and 39, for their advancement during 1943.

Brief Mention

Paul Boggs, of Charleston, supervisor of pupil transportation in West Virginia and Norman Key, transportation consultant of A. A. A. & I, met with the Mineral county bus drivers at the school bus terminal in Keyser, Friday. Boggs was on his usual tour of personal inspection of transportation equipment. Kay showed a motion picture, depicting some of the later developments in highway passenger traffic as it relates to care of equipment and safety of the human cargo.

Fred Calhoun, of Terra Alta, is a medical patient in Potomac Valley hospital.

George H. Sheetz who is on convoy duty with the navy, returned to his ship in Brooklyn, N. Y., after a brief visit with friends in Keyser and Elkins.

Hendricks WCSC Elects

Mrs. W. H. Ryan, of Hendricks, was re-elected as president of the Women's Society of Christian Service of the Hendricks Methodist church at a meeting Friday evening at the home of Mrs. W. H. Ryan in Hendricks.

Other officers elected were: vice-president, Mrs. Shirley Cooper; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Pearl Hendrick; recording secretary, Mrs. Thomas B. Hendrick, and treasurer, Mrs. A. S. Lindsey.

Secretary of missionary education, Mrs. J. B. Ambrose; secretary of social relations, Mrs. C. W. Harvey; secretary of student work, Mrs. Paye Graham; secretary of young women's and girl's work, Mrs. W. H. Ryan; secretary of children's work, Mrs. J. J. Mullenaux; secretary of literature and publications, Mrs. Hazel Lantz, and secretary of supplies, Mrs. Charlie Mullenaux.

A heavy snowfall is rare in sub-zero temperatures since snowflakes are caused by moisture in the air.

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Homemakers Hold Valentine Party

MIDLAND, Feb. 13.—The Midland Homemakers Club held its annual Valentine party Thursday evening in the Red Men's hall. The program opened with the entire assembly singing "America," and included the following numbers: Accordion solo, Betty Smith Nelson; solo, Carl Donald; piano solos, Betty Robertson and Jean McFarland; reading, Mrs. Ruth Robertson; recitation, Mrs. Robert Clarke; address of welcome, Mrs. James Blair, president; address on St. Valentine, Mrs. Arthur Phillips, state treasurer; talk by Mrs. Patterson, president of the Shaft homemakers.

At the conclusion of the program, which was in charge of Mrs. Harry Stevens, valentines were distributed. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Robert Miller, assisted by Mrs. Marcus Llewellyn, Mrs. John Carr, Mrs. Hannah Bond and Mrs. Arthur Blair.

Personals

Herbert Stevens, who has been stationed at Bainbridge since his induction into the navy eight weeks ago, has finished his boot training and is now visiting his wife and relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Aidon Brasure, of Wilmington, Del., were weekend visitors of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Taylor and also of Pfc. Charles Taylor, of Fort Jackson, S. C., who is home on furlough. Earl Kroll is home from Memorial hospital, where he had been a patient for three and one-half weeks. Mrs. Walter Ross of Portsmouth, Va., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Tighe.

Funeral Rites Held For Paw Paw Soldier

PAW PAW, W. Va., Feb. 13.—Funeral services for Pvt. Carson Delawder, 20, who was killed when he was struck by an automobile at Norfolk, Va., where he was stationed, were held yesterday at his home here.

Pvt. Delawder is the first service man from this section to be killed in any manner during the present war.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Myrtle Mae Delawder; one daughter, Virginia Lee; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Delawder, and one foster sister.

The Rev. Adam Grimm was in charge of the services and interment was in Camp Hill cemetery.

Brief Mention

Mr. and Mrs. Asa Santmire have received word that their son, Robert, who has been stationed in Panama for the past three years, is now stationed somewhere in India, and has been promoted to the rank of corporal.

Pvt. John Hettinger, Camp Breckinridge, Ky., spent a seven-day furlough here as the guest of Miss Anna Santmire.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Parker announce the birth of a son February 5.

Miss Mary Largent spent the weekend in New York City.

Seaman Jack Weaver has been transferred from Detroit, Mich., to Washington, D. C.

John McNabb and John Ambrose, seniors at Paw Paw high school, have enlisted in the United States Navy. The former will finish school here and Ambrose has been sent to Great Lakes naval training station, Great Lakes, Ill., for boot training.

Scorpions are said to be the first of the earth's creatures to live on dry land. They are now residents of desert areas.

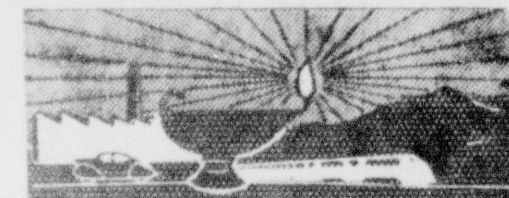
Garrett County Calls 52 Men for Induction Test

Selectees Ordered to Report Tomorrow for Physical Examination

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The Campaign Begins To Warm Up a Bit

OUR QUADRENNIAL PRESIDENTIAL CAMPAIGN appears to be taking on touches of warmth. Lincoln day dinners and allied developments are reminders, if reminders are necessary, that the presidential and vice presidential nominations will soon be in order. The Illinois primary law supplements the evidence of the calendar and the candidates. In that state February 21 is the deadline for registering candidates who intend to enter its primary, which is to be run April 11. Wisconsin's primary comes on April 4. Nebraska's shortly thereafter and New Hampshire's March 14.

Supporters of Governor Bricker, Gen. MacArthur and the other logical contenders—with one notable exception—are growing more vocal. Mr. Dewey and his supporters are the exception. In this respect the 1940 pre-convention campaign has gone into reverse.

Four years ago Mr. Dewey was the conspicuous and leading candidate. Today Mr. Dewey remains in Albany, aloof from impending primaries, giving to the world the very picture of an innocent bystander and reinforcing his detachment by occasionally stating that he is not a candidate—for the nomination.

The primaries do not seem to interest Mr. Dewey. Possibly he remembers how he ran away with Wisconsin in the 1940 primary. Perhaps he remembers that all he got out of primary triumphs was a "Stop Dewey" movement at Philadelphia, a movement that ended in catastrophe when, to their horror, its sponsors saw one Willie nominated.

By abstaining from a presidential announcement and the impending primaries Mr. Dewey averts strains upon his physical resources, also local enemies. He may win no presidential primaries by remaining silent and in Albany. Yet none knows better than he that nominating primaries so often fail to nominate. Therefore by remaining out of competition he makes no foes and he may make friends among favorite sons and dark horses whose votes go on the loose in a deadlocked convention.

This reversal of 1940 form, it should be noted, does not extend to the opposition. The Democratic situation remains static. Mr. Roosevelt, as at this stage in 1940, hasn't said yes and he decidedly hasn't said no. But Boss Hague has spoken, also the Democratic National Committee. And the admiral who is Mr. Roosevelt's doctor says he is in better condition now than ever, or words to that effect. The latter is an especially significant sign. Mr. Roosevelt has felt it necessary every four years to have his doctor say he is in better condition than he was when he entered the White House. These communications on his well-being are never issued in the three interim years.

If Mr. Roosevelt is not the indispensable man, he is assuredly the indispensable candidate. No other was being discussed. If any Democrat were to be so brash as to bring forth a new name, said Democrat would be dropped from the federal pay roll, or at least have his income tax investigated.

If Mr. Roosevelt should pull out now, and attempt to name his successor as the Democratic nominee, the resultant fight in the Democratic convention would be something to behold. This would give the South the opportunity for which it has long been waiting.

Tax Bill Marks Lack of Confidence
AFTER FOUR MONTHS, the new revenue bill has been sent to the president. The measure should have been disposed of at the last session. The delay was due to the controversy stirred by the administration's attempt to drive Congress into imposing taxes the members are unwilling to levy and the botching of the Ruml plan.

Instead of the \$10,500,000,000 additional revenue that the administration asked for, the bill provides for an increase of \$2,300,000,000, which brings the total federal income to \$42,000,000,000. This figure is twenty-five times as great as federal revenue in 1932.

Mr. Roosevelt characterizes the measure as unrealistic. The same can be said of the administration's attitude as presented by Secretary Morgenthau. The latter insisted that higher taxes were necessary to close an inflationary gap of \$36,000,000,000—that is the amount which the treasury estimated would be available for spending in excess of the value of goods that could be bought. Yet his proposals for raising the \$10,500,000,000 would have lowered income taxes of those composing

the group that the secretary himself had declared had the largest excess earnings. About a quarter of the increased revenues will come from higher individual income tax payments, not through change in normal or surtax rates, but by eliminating certain heretofore allowable deductions such as the earned income credit and federal excise taxes.

Almost another quarter will come from the jump in the excess profits tax to ninety-five per cent. The remainder will be realized from increases in federal excise taxes on liquors, luxuries, transportation fares, telephone tolls, light bulbs and so on.

The history of this legislation registers definitely the lack of congressional confidence in the Treasury. The feeling is further emphasized by the House Ways and Means committee letting it be known that, with the revenue bill out of the way, it would proceed on its own in trying to simplify the federal tax structure. The sooner that is done the better.

A Light Hidden Under a Bushel

REGARDLESS of how unselfish American motives may be currently, in the background of all the efforts being made to aid war-stricken nations must be the thought they will pay dividends in the days of peace to come.

Those nations which now are sharing American bounty would seem to be ideal customers for American goods when they again are in the market. While no such strings have been attached to the lend-lease program, friendly trade relations were presumed to follow as a matter of course.

James M. Landis, American director of economic operations in the Middle East, who spent three years studying United States trade prospects there, has made his report to the president. Landis is reported to have brought back the conviction that this nation is not making the most of its opportunities in those countries as regards postwar trade.

It seems Landis has learned England loses no chance to tell those whom it is aiding just where the help is coming from. In the case of the United States, lend-lease goods are delivered anonymously.

England contends this is as it should be, for the reason the Middle East has always been its territory, and the volume of trade there if divided would be of little benefit to either.

In his report, Landis apparently made no recommendations, but he seems to see the necessity of letting those nations know just how much America has contributed to their welfare, as against the day when American firms seeking orders are faced with the query: "What did you do for us during the war?"

Having split up Russia into sixteen autonomous republics puts Joe Stalin in a spot. Is he a foreigner in Moscow or just an alien to his native Georgia?

The Japs' attempt to sneak rubber overseas to Germany indicates Hitler's two-front war effort may be losing its stretch.

Spring will have to be a humdinger of a swell season if it lives up to those January and February previews.

It appears America, after the war, will be a land of milk and honey—and what's more important—gasoline and rubber.

The Browser's Bookshelf

By MARSHALL MASLIN

The Browser herewith introduces to your attention John T. Flynn's "As We Go Marching" (Doubleday Doran), an extraordinary book which has hardly been out of this reader's hands for the past twenty-four hours. It is a book without romance, mystery, glamor, heroism or humor, and yet it is grimly fascinating. And it makes the activities that engrossed the author of "Under Cover" seem childishly trivial.

Don't jump to the conclusion that the Browser believes "As We Go Marching" will ever attain the great sales of "Under Cover"—but it will be attentively read by many thousands of American citizens who will wish to reject Mr. Flynn's thesis but will be quite unable to do so.

What the author, disarmingly enough, has done is analyzed the history of Italy as a state and show that for most of its history it has lived beyond its means and has rarely had a balanced budget. The result inevitably was fascism under Mussolini.

Mr. Flynn shows all these factors existing in Italy. Then he finds them in Germany. Finally he analyzes American life and says they exist here either in full flower or in healthy bud. The result is a very depressing, exciting, enormously enlightening book. It may alarm or anger you; it will also set you to thinking.

The Browser also read a very fascinating short novel by Carl Hiaasen and Leane Zugsmith. It is "The Visitor" (Random House), and he has rarely read a more exciting mystery. The publishers say that the book "will appeal to readers who seek that rare book—a suspense story with the stature of a fine novel," and their judgment is sound, for one.

The story begins with the return to his home of a seventeen-year-old boy who had run away a few years before from his mother and step-father. The question is: Is he the same boy or one who closely resembles him and is pretending to be the wealthy woman's long-lost son? There are curious gaps in his memory of familiar places and old friends and a suspicious unwillingness to go to the dentist who had worked on his teeth when he was a younger boy—if he ever was that younger boy.

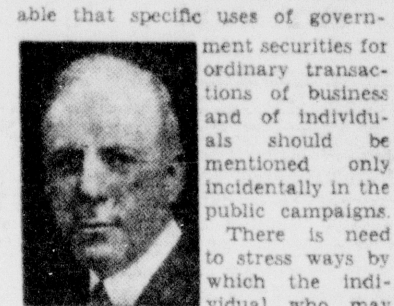
And here's another book that will surely be compared, and not to its disadvantage, with Steinbeck's "Tortilla Flat." It is Robert Bright's "The Life and Death of Little Joe" (Doubleday Doran)—and it's about time somebody wrote intimately about the impoverished loveable peasants of the New Mexican villages. To put it baldly, Little Joe is the son of a man who had killed a friend in a rage. When his mother dies he is turned over to his cold, hard Aunt Luz who (except for the storekeeper and her own son) is unlike all the other gentle simple people of the village. The story has plenty of hatred and passion and pity in it, but it has the charm of all tales about the academically ignorant and unspoiled people. . . . and it has much more reality than "Tortilla Flat." It will leave a tender smile in your heart. . . . Says Marsh Maslin,

THE BROWSER.

Lawrence Advises Use of Tax Money For War Bonds

By DAVID LAWRENCE

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—With all the emphasis that has been given to the buying of bonds in the Fourth War Loan, it is perhaps unavoidable that specific uses of government securities for ordinary transactions of business and of individuals should be mentioned only incidentally in the public campaigns.



David Lawrence

There is need to stress ways by which the individual who may not have much funds available for long-time investment can assist the government in getting the cash needed to finance the war in its peak period. Thus while many businesses have always bought notes or bonds to be used in payment of income taxes, individuals have not realized the extent to which they can save money and earn interest on money that eventually must be paid to the tax collector anyway.

It is important to know that not all government issues of bonds or notes can be used for tax payments. But wherever these securities carry a clause requiring a certain interval of notice before they are redeemable for cash, the taxpayer can plan his payments and redemptions in such a way as to lend the money now to the government and use it six months hence or even two or three years from now to meet tax payments.

Done by Corporations

Many corporations have for several years now bought notes or bonds for this very purpose and there is no reason why individuals should not be educated to apply the same method to their personal affairs. There is less opportunity for it now that taxes are paid currently out of this year's individual earnings but, on the other hand, there are many taxpayers who know now that their incomes for the next year or two are fixed and that certain amounts will have to be paid in income taxes. Such individuals can help their government by investing in bonds or notes for the relatively short period between this month and future tax payments.

It is, of course, true that the Treasury would like as many individuals as possible to buy bonds and hold on to them until maturity and especially is it urged that small denomination bonds be bought and held. There is no gain to the government if persons buy bonds only to cash them in quickly. Hence the emphasis has been placed on long-term holding. But this does not mean that those individuals who have bought to their limit on long-term bonds should not consider what they can do to help finance the war by lending the very funds they are going to pay Uncle Sam in taxes anyhow in the next year or two.

Some Bonds Accepted

Some kinds of government securities are accepted for tax payments directly without the formality of redemption and the citizens can find out at his bank which kinds are eligible for such use. Customary these do not bear much interest.

But there is one kind of long-term bond in the Fourth War Loan which is to be purchased at a price of \$100 and is due twelve years from now and bears interest at two and one-half per cent and can readily be used for inheritance tax purposes. The Treasury circular says of this particular issue:

"Any bonds issued hereunder which upon the death of the owner constitute part of his estate, will be redeemed at the option of the duly constituted representatives of the deceased owner's estate, at par and accrued interest to date of payment provided (A) that the bonds were actually owned by the decedent at the time of his death, and that the secretary of the Treasury be authorized to apply the entire proceeds of re-

demption to the payment of federal estate taxes."

This means that the executors of an estate can authorize the treasury to use such bonds to pay inheritance taxes. But between now and the year when death occurs, a sizeable income from interest can be accumulated. It is true that this income is subject to current taxes but nevertheless there are many persons who know that their heirs will be confronted with high inheritance taxes. There is every reason why this money can be loaned at interest to the federal government and, of course, if it is desired to use the funds in the interim for some other contingency, the bonds can be redeemed at the holders' option after six months have elapsed from the date of purchase, and then only one month's written notice to the Treasury is required to assure prompt cash payment for the bonds.

Buying Limited

The Treasury specifies that not more than \$100,000 of these bonds—known as "Series G"—may be obtained by one owner at the issue price in any one calendar year which is an indication of the desire of the Treasury to have these bonds distributed as widely as possible.

The citizen who wants to help his government not only over the hump of wartime financing but to help avert any sudden readjustment after the war in cushioning the financing problems of the government can be of inestimable service to his government by looking into all the different kinds of securities offered and buying those that fit his long-term needs. Small businesses, especially those which may be fortunate enough to be accumulating surpluses, can be of particular help, however, in buying bonds with which to meet tax payments of the immediate years ahead.

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PROTESTING CAPITAL PUNISHMENT, banned in Kansas from 1872 to 1935, Warden M. F. Amrine resigned from Kansas state prison rather than supervise the execution of Fred L. Brady, set for April 15 after his conviction as a holdup slayer. This will be the first execution under Kansas law in more than seventy years. Amrine, a native of Kansas, has thirty years' prison service.

THERE'S ALWAYS SOMEONE LIKE THAT



Columbia University's Education Theory Is Blamed for Much of Youth Problem

By PAUL MALLON

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—Another thing! Teachers testify in letters to me that parents are only half to blame for the current juvenile revolution.

The other half can be traced right to the door of Teachers College, Columbia University, New York, and its responsibility for undisciplined education.

There was spawned and propagated the theory that a child should be given full, unbridled expression of his impulses and there the whole story of education was geared to this free expression.

"Educators" who want notoriety, and desire to be classed as "progressive" and "leaders in the new educational field" took up and popularized the notion that kids should not be required to work. You have heard them:

"Children must be made to like school" . . . "They must be allowed to express themselves and to find hidden talents" . . .

Tests are made out by the teachers nowadays which can hardly do otherwise than develop a nation of graduated half-wits. The questions are not questions, but statements concerning the school work, and all the pupil is required to do is write "true" or "false."

Grades Come Easy

Any child who knows only these two words of the English language, with reasonable luck, must get fifty percent, and if he covered half the class work, a normal guessing ability would give him at least a passing mark of seventy-five percent. Why study?

Another farce of progressive education:

The teachers write half a sentence and then list three or four possibilities for ending it, inviting the child to select the correct one. The teachers do all the work. The pupil merely puts in a check, so as not to strain—or use his poor little brain, although the primary reason for education is to teach people to think.

Fanciest, however, was the method of teaching reading "so the child will love to read." Never bother about spelling, pronunciation, or grammar, or anything difficult—that will come. Well, it has not.

Challenge Feared

Instead, there has come a popular intelligent juvenile realization that study and work are not necessary, and teachers have no authority (most who write me obviously are afraid of school boards and parents to the extent they dare not challenge a wayward pupil, or let their names be used by me.)

How a leading nation of the modern world could degenerate intellectually to this extent is difficult to imagine. Not even Russia—backward, communist Russia—has clung to such educational inanities.

An educational writer currently

on Moscow but on the Ukrainian republic. It will be with Ukrainian representatives that the discussions will take place. Moscow will be in the background as the power factor, yet not available for negotiation except in cases of extreme crisis which it is the business of diplomacy to avoid.

Even though world opinion is averse to the political actualities in the situation, there has been a subtle change which exerts a psychological effect not to be completely nullified by rational analysis. If American and British influence is to be exercised in behalf of the Polish Government in Exile, this influence will seem to bear now not directly

reports Russian schools have dropped progressive education and put the kids to work with stern discipline and thorough scholarship (even eliminating co-education in order that the normal super-interest of romance and marriage be not confused with adolescent education or left for other hours.)

If Russia raises her children in this way, and we continue to raise ours in our way, which next generation will be able to stand in this world of conflict? Which nation will survive? What can this war victory bring to us?

We had better give back to the school principals and teachers a disciplinary authority which will command respect. For children raised under proper parental discipline, it is not necessary, and never was.

It is the child who does not encounter discipline at home, who must be taught it at school. But the party-waist progressive educators say (and unthinking parents also):

"You will instill fear in the poor little dears."

Of course. How else? Is not the fear of jail and punishment by society, including ostracism from friends and neighbors, considered necessary to require adult conformance to the laws of society?

Fear Necessary

If necessary for adults who are supposed to have fully developed minds and have learned self-restraint, how much more necessary it is to instill fear of punishment in undeveloped minds.

A Philadelphia psychiatrist who studied 19,000 juvenile court cases there found just one general cause—"Lack of sense of responsibility for behavior." He says only one cure—discipline. He says only one "dilettante" psychiatrist's counsel against the instilling of fear of punishment.

I would add that the progressive educational leaders have more grounds in modern psychiatry, modern psychology, or ultra-modern common-sense to justify the stupid mistake into which they have drawn the schools and parents of this nation, perilously.

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The Party Line

From the Pittsburgh Press

Earl Browder, America's No. 1 Communist, is urging the Republican and Democratic parties to "explore the possibility" of a single presidential candidate in 1944.

Mr. Browder says this "unprecedented measure" should be taken to "meet an unprecedented emergency."

Being unlike any other, this war, or course, is posing unprecedented problems for Americans which they are meeting with unprecedented measures.

There never is—and never can be—such an unprecedented emergency that the people of a democracy must choose their representatives and, above all, their chief representative—the President.

Whether Mr. Roosevelt is to receive a fourth term, or whether

New Cabinet Post Is Being Pondered By Republicans

By CENTRAL PRESS

WASHINGTON.—Republican groups, voicing confidence in a sweeping G. O. P. victory next November, carrying a Republican president into the White House, already are beginning speculation on the new cabinet. Of course, they are assuming that President Roosevelt will be a fourth term nominee on the Democratic ticket and assuming, too, that he will be defeated.

Should Mr. Roosevelt add another scalp to his tradition-busting belt, it is expected there will be but little change in the makeup of the official family from 1945 to 1949.

Included in the speculation of the G. O. P. politicians is the creation of a new cabinet post—secretary of the bureau of aviation, or some similar name. Such a cabinet post would co-ordinate the army and navy air corps, and, in time of peace, would dominate the Civil Aeronautics Board, which it would absorb.

They are putting forth for the post—similar to the minister of air in foreign cabinets—the name of Capt. Edward V. Rickenbacker, leading ace in World War I, and a hero of the present war by virtue of his daring inspection flights.

Might Speed War

Many Republicans feel the creation of an aviation portfolio will speed the war's conclusion and aid the progress of flying after the war. They feel Rickenbacker has the peculiar qualifications to set up such a department.

These same observers say they would not be surprised to see a successful Republican candidate for president bring Gen. Douglas A. MacArthur to Washington to be secretary of state. The 1936 G. O. P. sure in the West for this selection.

Another cabinet possibility they point out, is Herbert Hoover—the only living ex-president—to be secretary of state. He 1936 G. O. P. presidential nominee, Alf Landon, is considered a "natural" for a cabinet post, either to be secretary of agriculture or of the interior.

Of course, it is considered a cinch that Harrison E. Spangler, G. O. P. national chairman—or his successor if Spangler is unseated after the June convention—will be the next postmaster general—a traditional appointment.

Huge Fleet of Dreadnoughts

When the U. S. S. Missouri is completed during the next few months (it was launched recently), the United States will have the most powerful fleet of dreadnoughts the world has ever known.

America entered the war with fifteen of these ships, virtually all of which were left over from World War I. Six of the North Carolina class, were completed some time ago, and the Missouri is the fourth and last of the Iowa class.

Although the aircraft carrier now is the number one warship of the fleet, naval officers contend the battleships will prove their worth before Germany and Japan finally are defeated.

Amphibian Necessity

The admirals say there is no other way a navy can get the tremendous fire power of sixteen-inch guns for amphibious operations except by use of the big ships. The navy contends the broad, sturdy decks of the battleships provide a firm "gun mount" for sixteen-inch guns as well as for a huge number of anti-aircraft guns to fight off attacking planes.

The United States lost the Arizona at Pearl Harbor, and the Oklahoma capsized but later was raised and may be salvaged. Others that were damaged badly have been modernized and now are more powerful than they were before the war. With a couple dozen battleships plus aircraft carriers and other warships, navy men say the United States fleet is ready to meet all comers on the high seas.

Paddleball Experts

This may be the secret of Vice President Wallace's ability to engage in a rough-and-tumble political fight.

Frequenters to the House gymnasium report the V. P. has been declared "champ" of the paddleball games in which work-weary congressmen participate in late afternoons.

Wallace plays left-handed, they said. Honorable mention for skill in the game, according to their colleagues, goes to Representatives Estes Kefauver (D), of Tennessee; Earl E. Mundt (R), of South Dakota; and Emmett O'Neal (D), of Kentucky.

Morning Motto

His heart was as great as the world, but there was no room in it to hold the memory of a wrong—EMERSON, of Lincoln.

some Republican or some other Democrat is to be entrusted with the presidency, 'is for the people to decide.

An election campaign which would present but one candidate to the people would be a denial of the democratic concept of freedom of choice.

It would, in fact, constitute scrapping of democracy for the "one-party line" of the Communists.

Yankee Senorita

by LORENA CARLETON

(Continued from Page 2)

Prism picked up her iron again and smoothed the priceless lace concert dress with tender gestures. "You're having a pretty good time. Better let well enough alone. You are seen! Velvet Name and going to lunch and tea dancin'!"

Yeh, thought the singer derisively, with the withered 70-year-old Senorita Dolores, who watched her not a whit less than her own charge, Manuelita. It was even worse, she and Richard Blythe decided in a private talk, than when Manuelita chaperoned Carlos and Carlos chaperoned Manuelita. The only advantage was that Senorita Dolores could not see exceptionally well.

Carlos had sent the waiter to request "Vereda Tropical" and he and Mallory had rumbled around the roof-top dance floor at the Reforma. When far enough away from the Senorita Dolores' dim eyes, Carlos had led her out on the ledge that ran across the side of the building, on around to that open space right above the entrance steps. Mallory remembered looking down over the balustrade and feeling dizzy because of the height. Then Carlos had kissed her and kissed her, until she was dizzy from an entirely different reason.

"Princesita," he had whispered, "I love you much. I am going to keep you with me forever."

And then they had slipped back inside to mingle with the dancers and eventually circle back to the table and the censorious watch of the old maid chaperone. Mallory was beginning to know more about love's being expressed through the eyes, through the touch of one's hand, through the infection of a voice, than she had ever dreamed possible. It all was sweet, but not sweet enough when what she actually wanted was Carlos to put a ring on her finger and not waste much time leading her to a minister.

Or, would it be a priest? Undoubtedly. It did not matter. Any ceremony that bound her to Carlos would suit her perfectly. Mentally she formed a picture of how she would look, in a dress of thick-needle satin and pearl embroidery.

Prism was speaking again. Repeating rather. "Yes'm, you'd better thank your lucky stars Mr. Tod ain't here. He wouldn't 'low all this dancin' and skeedaddlin' you been doin'!"

"Oh, let up, Prism," she added idly. "I'll never mention him again."

She didn't. Not until the following afternoon, when she returned from rehearsal. And again the next

day when she came home earlier than usual. It was the day of the first performance, so the practice period had been short.

"Any word from Legree?" she asked her maid through set lips.

"No," Prism replied mildly, getting the bed ready for her mistress. Mallory Baker always rested the entire afternoon before a concert.

"Sandy hasn't heard from him either."

"What if he ain't. Are you all a couple babies what can't do nothin' without Mr. Tod?"

"We don't need him!"

"That's just what I'm pointin' out, so what you shoutin' about?" The Negress thumped pillows with a vengeance. "You done plenty of singin' when he wasn't nowhere near."

"It is his being near that provokes me, Prism. If he were in the States I'd not think a thing about it. But he told me he'd be down the day before the first concert. Instead, he comes down a week ahead of time, then goes on a silence."

She repeated indignantly, "It isn't that I need him!"

Prism ordered in a weary voice, "Oh, stop ravin'. You drink this egg-nog that I fixed up in orange juice and honey and go to sleep."

The girl felt better when she awoke. There was no message from Tod Patrick, but there were camellias from Carlos, pink ones, arranged inside a paper lace ruffle. They were just the thing to carry, an old-fashioned complement to her old-world dress, with its bouffant, slightly hooped skirt.

At the Palace of Fine Arts there were almost 50 baskets of flowers, some so stupendous that she wondered how they had been carried into the theater. Roses, Easter lilies, tuberoses and some strange stalk flowers. Investigating closely, Mallory saw that they were dry, downy sticks with the countless white blossoms tied on with white thread. Obviously that thread method was characteristic of the Mexico City florists, because she noticed many of the baskets were filled with exactly those same odd stalks.

Prism was directing stagehands, a stunt that flabbergasted Mallory, as she'd learned during light rehearsal that they spoke no English. Somehow Prism had managed enough Spanish to get the baskets where she wanted them.

"A la izquierda," she would direct, and a basket would be placed to the left. "Derecho," and one went to the right. If she selected a certain spot she tapped it with her foot. "Aqui!" And every other word was, "Gracias," accompanied with a smile as broad as the Mexican

stagehands were giving her. Armando stood nearby, beaming with pride as he watched her, talking himself when she seemed non-plussed.

She spied her mistress and said to the Mexican boy, "Be sure that they understand that everything gets out there by the time the concert is over. Put some out during intermission." She left him and came up to Mallory. "I don't know when you've made a better haul of flowers," she said. "Not even at the Hollywood Bowl." She eyed with an unharmed gaze her mistress' noticeable shaking. It did not amount to anything. It was always evident before a concert and it stopped the instant the girl stepped out of the wings.

Mallory knew that, too, yet it always held her in a state until she did start onto the stage and felt herself calm abruptly, as if a physician had given her a magic hypodermic.

"They have down the Tiffany curtain for you, senorita," Armando told her excitedly. "With our wonderful Valley of Mexico and our snow-peaked volcanoes, Ixtaccihuatl and Popocatepetl. But of course they would put it down for you. They do not put it down for anyone, senorita," he assured her solemnly.

Mallory Baker could only nod. She couldn't speak. That was another thing that invariably frightened her. If she could not so much as talk, how could she possibly sing?

And then she walked onto the stage and saw the vast crowd and heard the applause that made her heart beat even faster than Carlos' kisses. As the applause subsided, so did her heartbeats, until they were not a frenzy, but only a glorious intoxication. In a sort of dream, Mallory sang. She always felt that way during a concert, as if she were someone else as if she were watching that person herself.

When it all was over, she invariably shook again. Not for long, however, because when she leaned against the wall, after six encores and 15 curtain calls, she was strengthened by anger. Tod Patrick, looking sickeningly rested and debonair, also leaned against the wall.

(To Be Continued)

Theaters

Murals Painted For Film Setting

Motion picture murals, created by one of the world's foremost artists, have been added to the list of new arts.

The murals, painted by Dan Sayre Groesbeck, one of America's greatest painters and muralists, were used for the first time in David O. Selznick's "The Young in Heart," in which Janet Gaynor, Douglas Fairbanks, Jr. and Paulette Goddard are currently starring at the Liberty theater.

Groesbeck painted the murals, depicting his own conception of the spirit of industry and labor, on paper twenty-five by thirteen inches, and in color. They were photographed and rephotographed until they were thirty-two by thirty-two feet in size. According to the artist, none of their art value was lost in the process.

"Fighting Seabees" Opens Tomorrow at Maryland

"The Fighting Seabees," a Republic epic drama, opens tomorrow for a six day engagement.

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Rommel Is Villain Of Film at Garden

The atmosphere was charged with excitement last night at the Garden theater when Paramount presented its topnotch adventure thriller, "Five Graves to Cairo," with Franchot Tone and Anne Baxter co-starred, supported by Akim Tamiroff and Erich von Stroheim as none other than the famous Nazi Field Marshal Erwin Rommel. The picture is a fast-moving, suspenseful melodrama of behind-the-lines intrigue in North Africa, to which the audience reacted with the rich appreciation it deserves.

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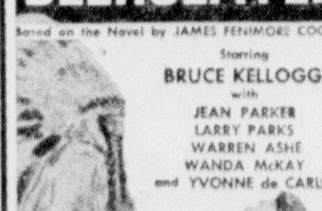
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LAST DAY Michael O'Shea "JACK LONDON"

Lieut. J. B. Guinan To Wed Lieut. Ruth Hamilton

Engagement of Former
Resident, Serving in
Italy, Announced

Mrs. Mary Hamilton of Camden, N. J., formerly of Cumberland, announces the engagement of her daughter, Lieut. Ruth Hamilton, to Lieut. James B. Guinan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Guinan, of Pontiac, Mich.

The bride-elect, who is a sister of Mrs. J. R. Parsons, 9 Mulien street, this city, is a graduate of Pennsylvania avenue school, where she was active in dramatics and a member of several clubs. She is also a graduate of Cooper Hospital School of Nursing, Camden, N. J., and entered the service in May, 1942, with the Cooper hospital unit. She arrived in Africa a year ago last Christmas and is now serving with the United States Army Nursing Corps in Italy.

Lieut. Guinan is a graduate of Kenyon college, Gambier, O., and is serving with the Quartermaster Corps in Africa. Before entering the service he was employed as a civil engineer in New York.

Doris Gunther Becomes Bride of Lieut. Tuttle

Miss Doris Elizabeth Gunther, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Arnold Gunther, 526 Cumberland street, became the bride of Lieut. James Dixon Tuttle, son of Mr. and Mrs. James W. Tuttle, Meriden, Calif., February 8.

The ceremony was performed in the rectory of St. Cecilia's Catholic church, Baltimore, with the Rev. J. Henry Hopkins officiating. Mrs. Charles O. Bantz, this city, and Charles Gunther, uncle of the bride, were the attendants.

Following a wedding breakfast at the Lord Baltimore hotel, Lieut. and Mrs. Tuttle left for a trip to New York. Upon their return Lieut. Tuttle will return to Tennessee and Mrs. Tuttle will resume her work at the State Health department, Baltimore.

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Pvt. A. F. Lear Weds Kathleen Kienhofer

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Kathleen Kienhofer to Pvt. Andrew F. Lear, son of Mrs. Marie Lear, 5 Putnam street, and the late Andrew F. Lear has been announced by Mr. and Mrs. Louis W. Kienhofer, 115 Hanover street, parents of the bride.

The ceremony was solemnized February 9 in the rectory of St. Peter and Paul church, with the Rev. Father Irenaeus, O. F. M. Cap. officiating. Miss Betty Lear and Thomas Lindner were the attendants.

The bride is a graduate of Ursuline Academy and Ursuline Business school and is employed as cashier for the Monumental Life Insurance Company.

The bridegroom is a graduate of Fort Hill high school and prior to entering the service was employed by the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad company.

Following a short wedding trip east Pvt. Lear will return to Camp Claiborne, La., and Mrs. Lear will reside with her parents for the duration.

Original Skit Will Feature Nurses' Party

An original skit enacted by a trio of "heart specialists" will be given at the Valentine party of the students of Allegheny Hospital School of Nursing at 7:15 o'clock this evening at the home.

The sisters and members of the alumnae will be guests. The program will also include vocal solos by Miss Ruth Barrett, Miss Phyllis Brown, Miss Betty Gates, Miss Eloise Robertson, Miss Clara Hursh, duets by Miss Jacqueline and Miss Eloise Sander, Miss Betty and Miss June Winner. Various piano selections will be played by Miss Doris Kamauff, Miss Margaret Neely and Miss Ann Eberly.

A recitation will be given by Miss Mildred McKenzie and Miss Jane Moorehead will give a tap dance number. The Valentine motif will be carried out in the decorations and refreshments.

Ursuline Seniors Hold Lincoln Program

The admonitions of Lincoln, rather than the historical aspect of his life, were stressed in the assembly program presented by the seniors at Ursuline Academy, Friday.

Taking part in the program were Bernadette McKenzie, Rosalie Mason, Mary Carmel Flook, Helen Carder, Barbara Carney, Mary E. McLane, Ursula Lindner, Catherine Goldsworthy, Pauline McDermott, Mary San Giovanni, and Mary Frances Hill.

The musical part of the program was presented by Mary Frame Eleanor Gerdeman, Mary Faye Eleanor, Alberta Ley, Jeanne Lippold, Jane McMullen, Marjorie Reinhard, Cleo Summers, Mary T. Hammersmith and Mary E. Flynn, with Patricia Doerner at the piano.

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Columbia Street Parent-Teacher Group Will Meet

James E. Spitznas Will Be
Guest Speaker Tomorrow Evening

The Parent-Teacher Association of the Columbia Street school will have James E. Spitznas, state supervisor of high schools, as guest speaker at the meeting at 7:45 o'clock tomorrow evening at the school.

A musical program will also be presented by the Ferrone trio, with Leonard playing the accordion; Rose Marie, the bass viol; and Delores the marimba.

Mrs. John Miller will preside at the business session at which time plans for another benefit social will be formulated. Teachers will be in their rooms at 7 o'clock to meet with the parents.

The mothers of the first and second grades will be hostesses for the social hour which will conclude the evening with Mrs. Rose Wilson and Mrs. Joseph Yutzy as chairman of arrangements.

Personals

Miss Alice Keller will leave today for Washington, D. C., after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Keller, LaVale. Miss Keller has accepted a position with the army in Washington.

Mrs. Victor J. Moreland, 420 South street, is visiting her husband, Pfc. Victor Moreland at Camp McCoy, Wis.

Thomas L. Myers, Baltimore, is visiting his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. William L. Wilson, 523 Washington street.

Miss Bertha Munro and Mrs. William Munro, 1507 Frederick street, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Alex Munro, Miami, Fla.

Miss Shirley McMillan, Washington, is visiting her home, 229 North Lee street.

S-20 Bernard Loraditch, who has completed boot training at Bainbridge Naval Training Station is spending several days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Loraditch, 1307 Bedford street.

Mary Lee Burger, Fort Ashby, Va., is visiting Mary Louise Kennard, 116 Weber street.

Pfc. John J. Kenney, Jr., 7 Market street, returned to Leesville, La., after spending a furlough at home, during which his father, John J. Kenney, Sr., died, James T. Kenney, storekeeper second class, returned to Camp Perry, Va., after having been called home by the death of his brother.

Pvt. Donald F. Potts, son of Mr. and Mrs. Emory C. Potts, 419 Hill street, returned to Camp Gordon, Ga., after spending a ten-day furlough at home.

Mrs. Earl Warner returned to her home, Baltimore Pike, from Memorial hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant A. Wiebel, 423 Franklin street, have returned from visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. Gould Screen, Burlington, N. C.

Mrs. Kathryn W. Rohrer, 529 Fayette street, returned from a visit to her son, Master Sgt. William C. Rohrer, Fort Meyer, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. John J. Robinson, 826 Shriver avenue, have returned from New York, where Mr. Robinson attended a trust officers' congress.

Herman Koegel, United States Navy, who recently completed his boot training, returned to Bainbridge Naval Training station, after a visit with his wife at their home in Cresaptown.

Mrs. Myrtle Zinn, 332 North Mechanic street, returned to her home from Allegheny hospital where she had been a patient for the past three weeks.

M. O. Harvey, SK 2C, Camp Lejeune, New River, N. C., and wife, Lt. Louise Larew Harvey, ANC, former residents, Camp Meade, returned to their respective camps after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kennard, 116 Weber street, and relatives at Rowlesburg and Newburg, W. Va. Lt. Harvey is a graduate of Memorial hospital, this city, after which she studied surgery at Cook County hospital, Chicago.

Marcheta Helmick, 130 Mary street, underwent an operation at Allegheny hospital.

Herman G. Brant, 215 Arch street, returned from Nashville, Tenn., where he visited his brother, Capt. Ralph E. Brant.

Lt. and Mrs. Walter L. Morton are visiting the former's mother-in-law, Mrs. H. R. Hoffa, McCoolle, and parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Morton, Lonaconing, Lt. Morton was graduated February 8, as a pilot from La Junta, Colo., and will return to Hobbs, N. M. He entered the service February 8, 1943.

Pfc. Edward M. Twigg, Camp Campbell, Ky., is spending a 10-day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William A. Twigg, 409 Laing avenue.

Cpl. Kenneth O. Teeter, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Teeter, 408 Columbia street, is spending a nine-day furlough with his parents. His brother, McKinley A. Teeter, seaman second class, returned to Great Lakes, Ill., after spending an eighteen-day furlough with his wife and parents.

Pfc. Robert M. Andrews, USMC, recently completed boot training at Parris Island, S. C., and is visiting his mother, Mrs. Wheeler Andrews, Barton, enroute to New River, N. C., for advanced training.

JERSEY CITY, N. J. (AP)—Perhaps Anthony Santora could give the interns a tip or two. A driver for the Margaret Hague maternity hospital, Santora has delivered twenty-six babies in his ambulance.

Master of Maternity

Grace Baptist Missionary Group To Meet Tonight

Plans To Be Formulated
for Week of Prayer
Beginning Feb. 3

Plans for the "Baptist Week of Prayer for Home Missions," will be discussed at the meeting of the Women's Missionary Society of Grace Baptist church at 7:30 o'clock this evening at the church, with Mrs. James Kirkpatrick presiding.

The week will be observed from February 28 to March 3 inclusive. At this time the annual Annie W. Armstrong offering will be taken. Various committee reports will be made and routine business transacted.

In connection with the observance of the Women's Society of Christian Service and its auxiliaries will have charge of the prayer service at 7:30 o'clock March 1. The feature of the program will be a dramatization of the work of the "Missions in the Homeland."

Preparatory to the week of prayer Mrs. W. P. Copeland will teach the book, "Christianity Our Citadel," from 7 to 10 o'clock the evening of February 24 at the church.

A Valentine party in the form of a dinner-meeting will be held at the conclusion of the business session. At which time a program on "Africa," will be held under the chairmanship of Mrs. A. E. Christner.

Mrs. W. Randolph Keefe, Jr., will be in charge of the devotionals. Speakers will be Mrs. Betty Copeland, Mrs. Edna Wilt and Mrs. Pearl Bucy.

Double Wedding Will Be Solemnized February 23

A daughter and a son of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Hager, 7 Leo street, Ridgeley, W. Va., will be principals in a double wedding ceremony February 23 at Calvary Methodist church, Ridgeley.

Miss Harriet Elizabeth Hager will become the bride of William Edwards, 214 Lafayette avenue.

Miss Norma Snyder, 1214 Lafayette avenue, will become the bride of Pvt. Edward Warren Hager, who is stationed with the United States Army at Camp Gordon, Ga.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Marriage licenses were issued to the following couples in circuit court here Friday.

Gabriel Sylvester Stickle, Cumberland, and Daisy Sneathen Kenney, Cresaptown.

Edward Paul Parsons and Beulah Mae Spiker, Cumberland.

Everett Clair Poole and Mary Lucille Theresa Connelly, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Joseph Valine and Commella Mae Beebe, Hendrysburg, Ohio.

Charles Franklin Ferguson, Cumberland, and Lucille Louise Kendrick, Coffeyville, Kans.

Robert Dennis Knieriem, Meyersdale, Pa., and Angela Teresa Winters, Midland.

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Lieut. John H. Pfeiffer To Wed Josephine Blume

The engagement of Miss Josephine Jean Blume, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lambert B. Blume, 525 Henderson avenue, to Lieut. John H. Pfeiffer, son of Mrs. Mary A. Pfeiffer, Baltimore, and Henry D. Pfeiffer, Willowbrook road, this city, has been announced.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Allegheny high school; where she was a member of the Choral club and the Mixed chorus. She is also active in the Central Methodist church young peoples group. Miss Blume is employed as secretary to Martin L. Johnson.

Lieut. Pfeiffer is a graduate of Fort Hill high school. He enlisted as an aviation cadet in January 1941; and graduated from pilots training at Blackland army flying school, Waco, Texas, receiving his commission, March 1943. He is now stationed in New Guinea, as Liberator pilot.

No date has been set for the wedding.

Mrs. Howard L. Tolson Entertains at Bridge

Mrs. Howard L. Tolson was hostess at the second of the series of bridge luncheons, Saturday afternoon at her home, Braddock road. The luncheon table was centered with a bowl of spring flowers including Chinese iris, white snapdragons and yellow acacia. The Valentine motif was carried out in the decorations and tallies.

Two tables were in play and awards were won by Mrs. Fred W. Mills and Mrs. Paul M. Fletcher.

A yellow and blue color scheme was carried out in the decorations for the first party when two tables were also in play at which time prizes were won by Mrs. Walter Neff and Mrs. Owen Hitchins.

American Music Will Feature Club Program

American Music will feature the program of the Music and Arts Club at the meeting at 8 o'clock this evening at the home of Miss Mildred Twigg, 801 Camden avenue.

The program under the chairmanship of Mrs. Marguerite Richards will be presented by high school students of the city. They include Charles Pickering, Edward McDowell, Patricia Doerner, Marilyn Marcell, Marie Louise Bender, Mrs. Robert T. Kerlin will present a paper on Jewish Music and Mrs. Robert LeRoy Critchfield will preside.

Birthdays of the club members will be celebrated by a surprise birthday party in honor of her husband Friday evening at their home, 307 South Centre street.

Bridge featured the entertainment with two tables in play. Awards were won by David Highbaugh and Mrs. John Waugh.

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Woman's Civic Club Invites Public to Meeting Thursday

Senator Tydings To Discuss
'Postwar Problems'
at Parish House

The general public is invited to the meeting of the Woman's Civic Club which will be held at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon in Emmanuel Episcopal parish house. United States Senator J. Millard Tydings, guest speaker, will discuss, "Postwar Problems."

Senator Tydings, chairman of the Senate committee on Territories and Insular Affairs, will be introduced by Mrs. J. H. Schindler, chairman of the Legislative committee, which is sponsoring the program.

The Allegheny High School Octet, under the direction of Miss Dorothy Willison, will give several selections preceding the address. It will include two numbers by the octet, "America, My Own," and "Czechoslovakian Dance." The boys will sing "Stout Hearted Men." Members of the octet are Kathryn Richards, Lois Stine, Helen Smith, Rosemary Ferrone, Leonard Ferrone, Edward Jenkins, Leonard Martin and Charles McColl. Eleanor Andrews will be at the piano. Mrs. Frank Stuart Rowe is in charge of the musical program.

Mrs. Thomas LeClear will preside at the regular business session to be held at the conclusion of the address by Senator Tydings.

Bedford Road Club Will Judge Valentines

The judging of homemade Valentines as to their originality and beauty will feature the Valentine party of the Bedford Road Homemakers Club to be held at 8 o'clock this evening at the home of Mrs. F. W. Grown, Gephart drive.

A musical program will be presented under the direction of Mrs. O. C. Judy and Mrs. Charles Bujac; games and contests will be under the chairmanship of Mrs. A. E. Valentine; and Mrs. O. C. Judy will conduct the gift bazaar for the benefit of the war bond fund. Refreshments will be served by Mrs. William B. Knisley and her committee.

Robert Martin Will Head Westminster Fellowship

First Presbyterian Church
Group Elects Other
Officers

The Westminster Fellowship of the First Presbyterian church elected Robert Martin president at the meeting last evening at the lecture hall.

Other officers elected for the ensuing year are Wilma Lee Steele, vice-president; Thelma Shaner, secretary; Patricia Golden, treasurer; Helen Bowie, social chairman; and Phyllis Ann Harris, music chairman.

The program included a talk by Patricia Golden on "How Adult Do I Want To Be?" Following her talk a general discussion was held on the topic.

St. Mary's Students Elect Queen of Hearts

Rose Marie Basile, member of the sophomore class at St. Mary's high school was elected Queen of Hearts at the Valentine party held by the St. Mary's students, last week.

The program opened with a grand march led by Patricia Carney, Ellen Nora Coyle, Madeline Basile, Marion Andrews and Patricia O'Donnell. Following the march the queen was crowned by Miss O'Donnell. A cake walk featured the entertainment and was won by Anna Jack and Vernon Bell.

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NBC To Feature Frances Langford On Program Today

By C. E. BUTTERFIELD
NEW YORK, Feb. 13.—It being Valentine day Monday, the NBC Cavalcade of America on NBC at 8 p. m. is to present Frances Langford, the singer, in "G. I. Valentine." It is based on her trip with Bob Hope and others last summer to North Africa where they entertained the overseas fighters.

Another Valentine program will be that of the Vox Popping Parks and Warren also at 8 on CBS. They will be at Benmore, Va., where they are to interview wives of enlisted navy personnel.

In view of the fact that the NBC 8:30 concert is originating from Los Angeles, with Richard Crooks as soloist, the orchestra will be directed by Alfred Wallenstein, who recently left the program to become director of the Los Angeles orchestra.

Then in the closing hours of the network day, there is another concert, by the WGN Symphony on MBS at 12:30 a. m. under the direction of Henry Weber. Haydn's "Clock symphony" will be the feature. Made for half an hour on MBS at 4:30 p. m. will have as solo-

Radio Clock

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 14
Eastern War Time P.M.—Subtract One hour for C.W.T. 2 hrs. for M.W.T.
(Changes in programs as listed due to corrections by networks made too late to incorporate.)

6:00—Front Page News—radio-ABC
6:15—Captain Midnight's Skit—radio-ABC
6:30—News Report for 15 min.—radio-ABC
6:45—Children's Dramatic Skit—radio-ABC
7:00—Quincy Howe—radio-ABC
7:15—Prayer, Comment on the War—radio-ABC
7:30—Serenade to America—radio-ABC
7:45—Murray Gordon, Orchestra—radio-ABC
8:00—Captain Tim Healy, Spy Story—radio-ABC
8:15—Musical Orchestra 15 min.—radio-ABC
8:30—Jeri Sullivan's Song Show—radio-ABC
8:45—Jack Armstrong's report—radio-ABC
9:00—Time and Volney Hard—radio-ABC
9:15—Lowell Thomas & Newcast—radio-ABC
9:30—Henry J. Taylor Comment—radio-ABC
9:45—Midnight and repeat—radio-ABC
10:00—World News and Commentary—radio-ABC
10:15—Report of Kidder Series—radio-ABC
10:30—Henry J. Taylor Comment—radio-ABC
10:45—Love a Mystery—radio-ABC
11:00—War News from the World—radio-ABC
11:15—Lillian Helland & Her Orchestra—radio-ABC
11:30—The Johnson Family, A Serial—radio-ABC
11:45—Carol Sisters, A Vocal Trio—radio-ABC
12:00—Lone Ranger, Drama of a War—radio-ABC
12:15—Blondie-Dagwood Comedy—radio-ABC
12:30—Music in the Air—radio-ABC
12:45—The Army Air Forces Program—radio-ABC
1:00—Kathleen News Comment—radio-ABC
1:15—The Cavalcade of America—radio-ABC
1:30—Top by Paris and Warren—radio-ABC
1:45—To Be Announced (15 min.)—radio-ABC
2:00—Lionel and Abner Serial Skit—radio-ABC
2:15—Fulton Oyster News Answer—radio-ABC
2:30—The Monday Night Concert—radio-ABC
2:45—Blind Date and Arlene Francis—radio-ABC
3:00—The Gay Nineties Revue—radio-ABC
3:15—Sherlock Holmes & His Watson—radio-ABC
3:30—Five Minutes Drama—radio-ABC
3:45—Continued Concert—radio-ABC
4:00—Raymond Gram Swing Comment—radio-ABC
4:15—Screen Guild Players & Guests—radio-ABC
4:30—Commentary About the War—radio-ABC
4:45—Out of the Shadow, Drama—radio-ABC
5:00—Education for Freedom, Talks—radio-ABC
5:15—Information Please in Quiz—radio-ABC
5:30—America Looks Ahead, A Forum—radio-ABC
5:45—Showtime From Broadway—radio-ABC
6:00—Blondie-Dagwood, A repeat—radio-ABC
6:15—Half Hour for Dancing Music—radio-ABC
6:30—News for 15 minutes—radio-ABC
6:45—The Fred Waring repeat—radio-ABC
7:00—News, Variety Dance 2 hrs.—radio-ABC
7:15—Late Variety with News—radio-ABC
7:30—London's Radio News—radio-ABC
7:45—Continued Music—radio-ABC

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Six Property Transfers Filed for Recording

Six deeds were filed for record in the office of the clerk of circuit court here Friday. The following transfers were completed:

Rebecca E. Green to Clifford R. Green and Dorothy Green, lot 108 in the village of Moscow Mills. No consideration.

Henry W. Price and Edith K. Price to Robert E. Flynn and Eleanor F. Flynn, lot 9 of block 15 on Fairmont avenue in Rose Hill Addition, for about \$200.

John W. Williams to John Earl Williams, lots 11 and 12 on South street in Brinker Addition. No consideration.

Curtis Middleton and Ruth Middleton to Fred P. Stickley and Jessie S. Stickley, tract of land in Plintstone election district 3, for about \$400.

David M. Steele, sheriff of Allegheny county, to Harry W. Reeves, lot 26 in New Franklin near West-ernport, for about \$1,500.

David M. Steele, sheriff of Allegheny county, to James A. Welsh and Nora E. Welsh, tract of land in Allegheny county, for about \$725.

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4:00 Sunrise Serenade.
4:15 New.
4:30 Cowboy Ray and the Skipper.
4:45 News.
5:00 World news round-up (NBC).
5:15 Do You Remember? (NBC).
5:30 News.
5:45 Mirth and Madness (NBC).
6:00 Morning Meditations.
6:15 Story Drama by Olinas (NBC).
6:30 Peg Coulahan.
6:45 News.
6:55 Words of Life (NBC).
7:15 WAC Recruiting Program.
7:30 News.
7:45 United States Navy Band (NBC).
8:00 Recruits in Melody (NBC).
8:15 Echoes of the Tropics (NBC).
8:30 Carry Longtime (NBC).
8:45 News.
9:00 15th Anniversary (NBC).
9:15 Rights to Happiness (NBC).
9:30 Swingtime.
9:45 News.
10:00 Sam Adams.
10:15 News.
10:30 War Commentary.
10:45 Parade of Sports.
11:00 News.
11:15 Maxie's Musical.
11:30 Fred Waring (NBC).
11:45 News of the World (NBC).
12:00 The Carol Sisters (NBC).
12:15 H. V. Kallenborn (NBC).
12:30 The Old Corral.
12:45 News.
1:00 Voice of Firestone (NBC).
1:15 The Telephone Hour (NBC).
1:30 News.
1:45 Harlequin of Washington (NBC).
2:00 Escape (NBC).
2:15 News (NBC).

(Dealer: North. Neither side vulnerable.)
North East South West
Pass Pass 4 4
Players of top rank would consider that a rotten bid by South, when he had what ordinarily would be a set-up seven-card suit, and with a side ace as an entry, especially when having a couple of cards in each other suit. They would count the hand much too strong for pre-empting, and so would bid only 1-Spade. After that, North would show his clubs.

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ACROSS
1. Simians
5. Priests
9. Thin part of chairback
10. Carouse
12. River
13. Pointed arch
14. Curved pieces of glass
16. On the ocean
17. Cushion
18. Parish directors
20. Greek god of war
22. Child
23. Expression of interrogation
24. Alcoholic liquor
26. Breach
28. Senior (abbr.)
30. Disease of chickens
32. Member of a Slavic tribe
35. Houses of worship
38. Also
39. Across
40. Gas (Eng.)
42. One of the Twelve Apostles
44. Ascend
45. Rubout
46. Stunted animals
47. Otherwise
48. Observe

DOWN
1. Become visible
2. Despoil
3. Fruiting spikes of grain
4. Guide
5. Back
6. Sailing excavation
7. Information glass
8. Strict
9. Genus of tunicates
11. Thong for a dog
15. Place
19. Gear wheel
21. Subdue
25. 1/1000 of inch
27. Of the Apostle Peter
28. Under-ground (Mining)
29. To venerate
31. Vim
33. Perches
34. Trunks of trees
36. Conductor of electricity
37. Withers
41. Real
43. Female ruff

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CARPET MANTA
AL STRANGER
RIP LID ODD
ACE FOAM
BETA SHAM BOWL
ARM BELL FOG
MAINLAND DA
ARTEL SREKT
BEDDIE BOBULE
REED SPOT

Saturday's Answer
36. Conductor of electricity
37. Withers
41. Real
43. Female ruff

CRYPTOQUOTE—A cryptogram quotation
JZPU KYU JZYJ DWQ BK YFGYUK
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JYBNP.
Saturday's Cryptoquote: NOBILITY OF BIRTH COMMONLY
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BLONDIE
It's the Bubble Dancer in Her!
By CHIC YOUNG

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OH MY GOODNESS!

COOKIE! WHERE ARE YOU?

I FOUND HER!

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MUGGS AND SKEETER
By WALLY BISHOP

LAN SAYS PAPPY WILL STOP THAT SNORIN'! CAN'T CONCENTRATE ON HIS HOMEWORK.

JES' NO SENSE TO TRY TO WORK IN THAT RACKET!

SKEETER, KIN I DO MAH HOMEWORK IN YO HOUSE? ONE CAN'T THINK AT OUR PLACE FOR THE NOISE!

SURE EFFIE MAE! BUT BE QUIET! GRAMPS IS TAKIN' A NAP! COME IN!

Z-Z-Z-Z-Z
Z-O-R-U-P
Z-Z-Z-Z-Z

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By LES FORGRAVE

SO THAT'S THE STORY OF THE HANDKERCHIEFS? WELL, IT'S MUCH AS I THOUGHT IT WOULD BE, BUT I'M GLAD TO KNOW FOR SURE. THAT'S THE FINISH OF THE MYSTERY!

I'M HALF-SORRY IT IS, FOR I'M AFRAID YOU'LL FORGET ME NOW. BUT BETH, YOU WON'T WILL YOU? YOU WILL COME TO SEE ME? OFTEN.

OF COURSE, MRS. BETT! I HAD NO THOUGHT OF NOT DOING SO.

WELL, THAT WENT BETTER THAN I THOUGHT. NOT A WORD DID SHE SAY ABOUT A REWARD. NOW I CAN COME TO SEE HER OFTEN.

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By BILLY DeBECK

SEALED ORDERS FOR YOU, YARD BIRD.

WAAL—YE NEEDN'T BALK AROUND FER A TIP, COUSIN.

HI, GOOGLE—RIDDLE OUT THIS HYAR DOCKYMIN' FER ME.

HERE'S WHERE I GET HOOKED FOR ANOTHER "SPHINX PUNCH."

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LITTLE ANNIE ROONEY
Day of Atonement
By BRANDON WALSH

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YOU MEAN THEY MENTIONED NAMES AND PLACES?

THEY TOLD EVERYTHING—WHO STOLE THE DOCTOR'S SUPPLY OF POISON AND—

LIES! LIES! ALL LIES! YOU CAN'T PROVE—

I SUGGEST YOU LEAVE THE SHOW IMMEDIATELY, OR ELSE—

GLORYVOSKY, ZERO, AREN'T WE LUCKY! EVERY DAY WE GET FARTHER AWAY FROM THE CIRCUS—

FLASH GORDON—On the Planet Mongo
I BELIEVE YOU LOCKED US IN DELIBERATELY TIGRA HAVE YOU GONE MAD?

YOU'LL NEVER FIND A WAY OUT NOW, DORCOM WILL HAVE TO STAY WITH ME AND NOT GO ON THIS WILD-GOOSE CHASE AFTER HIS LOST FATHER.

NOT LIKELY THIS PLACE OBVIOUSLY WAS USED AS A PRISON FOR MY POOR FATHER.

THERE'S A CHANCE THAT THE ELVINS LEFT A SECRET LEVER TO OPEN THIS DOOR FROM THE INSIDE.

IVE GOT YOU TRAPPED AT LAST, FLASH—SURRENDER OR DIE IN YOUR CHOSEN PRISON!

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OH, MY POOR LITTLE BOY! I-I CAN'T BELIEVE HE'S DROWNED!

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YOU SEE, WHAT WE'RE INTERESTED IN, MRS. JENKINS, IS WHERE DID HE GET ALL THAT MONEY?

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MCINDOE—William, aged 47, died at his home, W. Main St., Lonaconing, Saturday, February 12th. The body is at the home where friends and relatives will be received and funeral services will be held at the Presbyterian Church, 101 N. Main St., Lonaconing, on Tuesday, February 14th, at 2 P. M. Interment in Oak Hill Cemetery. Arrangements by Richmond Funeral Service. 2-13-11-11

HANEY—Mrs. Emma L. (Scott), aged 62, wife of Loren Haney, 11 Weber St., died Saturday, February 12th, at her home. The body will remain at the home where friends and relatives will be received and funeral services will be held at the Presbyterian Church, 101 N. Main St., Lonaconing, on Tuesday, February 14th, at 2 P. M. Interment in Oak Hill Cemetery. Arrangements by Richmond Funeral Service. 2-14-11-11

LUTEMAN—Albert R., aged 85, husband of Mrs. Florence Luteman, Corrigansville, Md., died Saturday, February 12th, at the Allegheny Hospital. The body is at the home where friends and relatives will be received and funeral services will be held at the Presbyterian Church, 101 N. Main St., Lonaconing, on Tuesday, February 14th, at 2 P. M. Interment in Oak Hill Cemetery. Arrangements by Richmond Funeral Service. 2-14-11-11

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EVERYONE KNOWS that house-to-house canvassing is a nasty job full of refusals and discouragements, yet Times-News papers make a welcomed canvass of nearly every house in this section every day. Let Times-News want ads canvass for you.

15—Electric Work, Fixtures

ELECTRICAL WORK
MOTOR repairing, wiring and fixtures. Queen City Electric Co., 158 Frederick St. Phone 117. 6-8-11-11

Factory Service

• Bendix
• Kelvinator
• General Electric
Cumberland Electric Co.
137 Virginia Ave. Phone 619

16—Money To Loan

MONEY TO LOAN
Interest 5% per Year
McKAIG'S
101 Williams St. Phone 262

MORTON LOAN CO.

JEWELERS
PAWN BROKERS
Quick, Confidential Loans on All Articles of Value
HEADQUARTERS FOR DIAMONDS
Large Stock of Unredeemed Pledges for Sale, Including WATCHES • JEWELRY GUNS • LUGGAGE
HIGHEST PRICES PAID FOR OLD GOLD
Open Week-days to 7 P. M.
Saturdays to 9 P. M.
33 Baltimore St. Phone 3770

MONEY!

We loan money on anything you have. Give us a try. Special rates on \$50 or more.
HAROLD'S
28-30 Baltimore St.

19—Furnished Apartments

MODERN TWO, three and four room apartments, also single rooms by the week or month. Boulevard Apartments. Phone 2737. 8-9-11-11



SIO BUYS
TWO STEEL HELMETS
Two steel helmets might stop two bullets and save two priceless American lives!
War Stamps buy steel helmets.

Wouldn't it make you feel good, even if it inconveniences you, to rent your spare room for extra War Stamp purchases?
I'm a TIMES-NEWS Want Ad, and I'm enlisted for the duration.

Phone me at Cumberland 732 and I'll turn YOUR spare room into steel helmets!

20—Unfurnished Apartments

MODERN FOUR rooms, adults, LaVale, 2974-M. 1-24-11-11

THREE ROOMS, kitchenette, bath, adults. Apply 63 Greene St. 2-3-11-11

FOUR ROOM Modern Apartment, private bath, hot water heat, central location. Write Box 918-A % Times-News. 2-7-11-11

FOUR ROOMS, 116% Virginia Ave. Phone 632. 2-7-11-11

MODERN APARTMENT, Phone 406, 5 p. m. to 7 p. m. 2-9-11-11

THREE ROOMS, bath, heat, 926 Maryland Ave. 2-12-11-11

21—Apartments

TWO APARTMENTS, one furnished, one unfurnished, hot water heat, modern. Phone 1267-35. 2-11-11-11

22—Furnished Rooms

MODERN BEDROOM, lady, 204 Fulton. 1-31-11-11

SLEEPING ROOMS, 117 Greene. Phone 4214-R. 2-9-11-11

BEDROOM, gentleman, 30 N. Liberty. 2-13-11-11

24—Houses For Rent

EIGHT-ROOM house and garden, Murley's Branch Road, one mile from Plintstone. Phone Plintstone 119. 2-12-11-11

SMALL HOUSE, garage. Phone 4344-W. 2-13-11-11

MODERN five-room bungalow. Phone 2868-J. 2-13-11-11

HOUSE near Allegany Grove, modern except gas. Phone 4016-P-24. 2-14-11-11

26—For Sale Miscellaneous

Maytag Parts & Service
Wringer Rolls, All Makes
CUMBERLAND MAYTAG CO.
31 N. Mechanic St. Phone 848

ASPHALT ROOFING, 1 ply 90c; 2 ply, \$1.35; 3 ply, \$1.85. Liberty Hardware, Phone 550. 9-15-11-11

PREMIER CLEANER sales and service, 104 S. Liberty. Phone 1722. 11-10-11-11

THE BEST in used furniture. Price's Furniture Exchange, 79 N. Centre. 4-25-11-11

ORANGES

TRACTOR-TRAILER LOAD
Fresh—Fine quality, especially sweet and juicy
Texas Pink Grapefruit
10 for 49c
No. 1 Potatoes, \$2.89 bag, peck 47c
Fresh Vegetables—Most All
Fancy Fruits

HAGER'S
832 N. MECHANIC ST.
One building down from where we formerly had our fruit store. Now only in the brick building.

ANTIQUES—Lester Board, 6 Harrison St. 1-14-11-11

GAS COOKING stove, Heatrola and heating stove, cheap. Phone 1497-M. 1-22-11-11

KEMTONE Headquarters, South Cumberland, Wignall's Wall-paper Shop. 1-24-11-11

JUST ARRIVED
Growing Girls' All Rubber Snow Boots, \$2.98 pair. Men's, Boys' Tennis Oxford for the High School Gym, \$2.98 pair.

THE HUB

Army and Navy Goods
19 N. Centre St. Open Evenings
SPENCER CORSETS individually designed. Mrs. Alleta Allamong Luchs, Phone 3822-M. 2-1-11-11

WIGFIELD wallpaper, the little shop with big selection, 10 Hum-bird St. 1-24-11-11

26—For Sale Miscellaneous

HAMILTON Railroad watch. Phone 2863-W. 2-11-11-11

THREE PIECE living room suite, good upholstery and springs. Very reasonable. Potomac Furniture Co., 234 N. Centre. 2-11-11-11

CHARIS FOUNDATION garments. Phone 862-R. 2-10-11-11

HOG WORM powder, effective, convenient, inexpensive given in feed. Pet Shop, N. Centre St. 2-11-11-11

BLACK CARACUL fur coat, small, 16, full length, \$25. Phone 1869. 2-12-11-11

10 EWES and buck, one cow. Maudie Carr, Rawlings. 2-12-11-11

RADIOS, 461 Baltimore Ave. open evenings. 2-12-11-11

28-A—Florists

Funeral Flowers
RenRoy Gardens
LaVale Phone 3960-W

Funeral Flowers
BOPP'S
75 Baltimore St. Phone 2582

29—Furniture, Stoves
USED FURNITURE, Milleneon's, 317 Virginia. 1-6-11-11

30—Building Supplies

SPECIAL
On Storm Windows, 25% off. These windows can be used for many purposes such as chicken houses, hot bud sheds, enclosing porches, etc. The following sizes only:
2 1/2" x 2 1/2", \$2.30, reduced to \$1.73
2 1/2" x 3 1/2", \$2.70, reduced to \$2.03
2 1/2" x 4 1/2", \$2.90, reduced to \$2.20
2 1/2" x 5 1/2", \$3.10, reduced to \$2.33
2 1/2" x 7 1/2", \$3.81, reduced to \$2.81

Buchanan Lumber Co.
Phone 1270

31—Help Wanted

HEAD COOK, day hours, experience necessary. Apply in person, State Restaurant, 48 N. Centre St. 2-12-11-11

32—Help Wanted—Female

HOUSEKEEPER. Write John Nail, Plintstone. 2-8-11-11

WANTED girl for general housework, good wages. Apply Mrs. Morton Peskin, The Dingle. 2-11-11-11

WOMAN FOR housework, day or part days. Phone 3572-M. 2-11-11-11

GIRL or woman to care for children. Phone 4047-F-3. 2-13-11-11

TELEPHONE SOLICITOR to conduct canvass from home in spare time. Prefer woman with experience in the line, with private phone. Write Box 945-A % Times-News. 2-13-11-11

GIRL WANTED, work in printing office. Apply Morawich Printing Co., 116 Frederick St. 2-14-11-11

33—Help Wanted, Male

BOY TO Carry Morning Newspaper route in Baltimore Ave. section. Apply Times-News Circulation Dept. Phone 749. 2-11-11-11

MESSENGERS. Day or evening work. Good pay with scheduled increases. Apply Western Union Telegraph Co., 7 N. Liberty St. 12-30-11-11

BOY to carry morning newspaper route in Bedford St. section. Apply Times-News Circulation Dept. Phone 749. 2-9-11-11

TRUCK DRIVER with sales experience. Draft exempt. Apply Hoffman Ice Cream Plant. 2-10-11-11

MAN for work on farm. Phone 959-J-5. 2-12-11-11

34—Salesmen Wanted

WANTED
BY
SEARS ROEBUCK & CO.
an experienced TRUCK TIRE SALESMAN, whose duty it will be to promote the sale of TRUCK and TRACTOR TIRES by personal solicitation.
Applicants are invited to reply in confidence by letter only stating age, education, present and past business experience, earnings desired and telephone number. Guaranteed salary and commissions. Address: Sears Roebuck & Co., 179 Baltimore St., Cumberland, Maryland. 2-11-11-11

35—For Sale Miscellaneous

25 CENTS BUYS
12 BANDAGES
Twelve bandages might save the lives of 12 soldiers.
Thinking of it that way, wouldn't it be patriotic to rent your spare room and buy War Stamps that'll buy bandages?
I'm a TIMES-NEWS Want Ad, and I'm enlisted for the duration.
Phone me at Cumberland 732 and I'll turn YOUR vacant room into bandages!

36—Instructions

TEACHER of Piano. Mary Louise Snyder, 36 Greene St. Phone 4522. 1-23-11-11

37—Musical Instruments

Musical Instruments
Records & Sheet Music
Complete line at:
The Music Shop
6-7 S. Liberty St. Phone 3230

38—Lost and Found

LOST—8 ration books #3 and #4. Carl Boor, Corrigansville. 2-12-11-11

LOST—Two #3 and two #4 ration books. Mrs. Malin, 418 Washington St. 2-12-11-11

LOST—Gold earring. Phone 922-R. Reward. 2-13-11-11

39—Miscellaneous

WELDING
All types, Acetylene and Arc
Anything • Anytime • Anyplace
H. S. Plumbing & Heating Co.
Authorized Dealers in
Airco Gases and Equipment
128 Polk Street Phone 2040

BLOCK LAYING, cement work, W. A. McKinney, 148 Bedford St. Phone 3013-W, 3485. 1-28-11-11

FIRE EXTINGUISHERS, recharging, Fire Prevention Service. Frank Cresap, Phone 276-W-3. 1-21-11-11

CARPENTER repair work. Phone 2042-W. 1-29-11-11

REFRIGERATION, washer and radio repairs. General Repair Shop, 43 Henderson Ave. Phone 3978-R. 2-4-11-11

40—Metal Weatherstripping

"WE DEFY THE ELEMENTS"
DEFIANCE WEATHERSTRIP CO.
Frederick C. Haas Phone 2063

41—Moving, Storage

JOHN APPEL TRANSFER, Local and Long Distance Moving. Phone 1623. 1-3-11-11

MOVING To and from Baltimore. Phone 388. 6-16-11-11

42—Painting, Paperhanging

PAPERHANGING, Joe Barnhill. Phone 3670. 4-17-11-11

PAPERHANGING, Phone 273-W. 2-8-11-11

43—Personals

CAROLINE EMMERLING, R. N., massage, reducing. Phone 3658. 1-22-11-11

47—Real Estate For Sale

100 ACRE FARM, 70 acres bottom land, balance rolling fields, good house, all necessary outbuildings, 14 miles east Cumberland. Write Walter Kifer, 123 Williams Ave., Dundalk, 22, Md. 2-8-11-11

THREE STOREROOMS, 20, 22, 24 Queen City Pavement, modern brick construction. Private alley in rear. Phone 818. 2-11-11-11

TEN ACRES fertile land near LaVale, Cumberland, new brick dwelling, 8 rooms, bath, basement, kitchen, milk house, abundant gravity water supply; double garage, five-room tenant house, small barn, poultry house, other buildings. Attractive home. Inquire at M. I. Bennett's Store, LaVale. 2-12-11-11

MODERN HOME near Cumberland, six rooms, kitchen, bath, 1 1/2 acres, nice garden, asparagus and grapes. Price \$5,750. Electric stove included. Phone 4022-F-12. 2-13-11-11

48—Roofing, Spouting

ROOFING, spouting, sheet metal work, warm air heating, air conditioning. Call Twigg 3362-R. 1-11-11-11

51—Wanted to Buy

WE PAY HIGHEST prices for all makes sewing machines. Singer Sewing Machine Co., 77 N. Centre St. Phone 394. 8-2-11-11

Wide Scope Given To Labor Issues By CIO Executive

Baldanzi Strikes at Proposed National Service Act in Talk Here

Striking at the proposed National Service act as an indication of a "dangerous trend toward regimentation," George W. Baldanzi, executive vice president of the Textile Workers Union of America, CIO, declared in an address at a local rally yesterday that labor can no longer be content to concern itself merely with the issues of wages, hours and conditions of work, but must look to vastly broader horizons.

"We must be on guard against those evil forces here in America who would black out freedom," and we must beware lest our victories on the battlefield be cancelled out by defeat on the home front," Baldanzi contended.

Soldiers Will Not Win War

The soldiers will not win the war, however, he asserted, because they will just kill our enemies. "The war will be won or lost in the halls of Congress."

Charging that reactionary interests both in and out of Congress have scuttled the seven-point program accepted by labor, Baldanzi stated that a mockery has been made of efforts to achieve stabilization both now and after the war.

Scissors Wage Freezing

He criticized wage freezing, abolishment of the Fair Labor Administration and National Resources Planning Board and stated that the "anti-labor, anti-democratic Smith-Connelly act would compare favorably with any decree emanating from Berlin."

Highlighting the possibility of an economy of abundance, Baldanzi pleaded for all to work toward security offered by such an economy.

John E. Neal, chairman of the legislative committee of Local 1874, presided and newly-elected officers were present.

VEGETABLE GARDEN CLASSES WILL OPEN IN COUNTY TOMORROW

A class in home vegetable gardening will be conducted in the Gephart school, Frederick street, beginning at 7 p. m. tomorrow with Guy W. Bradnor as instructor in charge.

The course is set up to last ten nights over a period of five weeks and class hours will be 7 to 9 o'clock on Tuesday and Thursday nights.

All persons interested in the production of vegetable crops and plants are invited to attend tomorrow's meeting so they can learn how this class is to be conducted.

There is no registration fee nor any obligation for those taking the course. Literature will be available as a basis for discussion on vegetable gardening and related subjects.

Courses also will be conducted in Frostburg and Lonaconing at which places registration also will be conducted tomorrow at 7:30 p. m.

A class in Frostburg will be conducted in Harvey's residence and green house, Eckhart flat, with E. L. Harvey as instructor. At Lonaconing the class will be held in Central high school with Hilda M. Phillips as instructor in charge.

Home vegetable gardening is part of the food production war training program and adult education program sponsored by the Allegany County Board of Education and the vocational department of the State of Maryland.

Round Table Topic Is Delinquency

Educator and Theologian Present Possible Ways of Meeting Problem

What can be done to control juvenile delinquency? was the subject of the fourth of a series of broadcasts on Cumberland's Round Table of the Air over Station WTBO last night.

The Rev. William von Spreckels, pastor of Trinity Lutheran church, summarized a possible meeting of the current issue by advocating bringing youth under wholesome influences, developing proper use of leisure time, inculcating obedience to authority and raising morals and character by religious education.

Dr. John A. Cooper, of Frostburg State Teachers College, pointed out that both regulatory and constructive practices will be necessary in any combative program.

"Community influences must be controlled by means of laws and ordinances, relating to conditions on the streets, in public places, in centers for commercial recreation and the like," he stated. "Legal provisions must be made for the protection of youth and the prevention of their exploitation for commercial gains. Still more important is enforcement of these regulatory and protective measures by competent and socially minded officials, who understand the needs of young people and are alert to recognize destructive influences."

Daniel D'Amico was moderator for the broadcast which is sponsored by the Club of Human Relations. The topic for next Sunday's broadcast will be "Opportunities for the Youth of Cumberland."



BUYING A BOND—Mrs. Elizabeth Breighner (right), 901 Virginia avenue, is shown buying a bond after she had been contacted by Boy Scout Orma "Buddy" Phillips (left), Troop No. 6, SS. Peter and Paul church, in the house-to-house canvass by Boy Scouts to boost the sale of war bonds in the Fourth War Loan drive. In the center of the picture are Edward Nael (standing) and Miss Hilda O'Neal, one of several teams who call at homes to fill out bonds after the applications are received by scouts. Mrs. Breighner was visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Albert Hill, 719 Patterson avenue, when Scout Phillips called and asked if anyone would like to buy a bond. She bought a \$50 one.

Barber Is Held After South End Cutting Affray

Charles Goodnow Admits Slashing Clarence Broadstock with Razor

Clarence E. Broadstock, 35, of 23 Laing avenue, was admitted to Allegheny hospital yesterday afternoon at 5:30 o'clock suffering from a deep cut on the right side of the neck. Nineteen sutures were required to close the wound which, he told police, was inflicted by a razor wielded by Charles Goodnow, 23 Laing avenue, according to John J. Treiber, assistant chief of police.

Goodnow, who operates a barber shop in the Hendricks hotel, Laing avenue, told police that Broadstock forced his way into his barber shop and struck him in the face several times, and that he grasped a razor and cut the intruder.

The deep cut, police said, extended from the right ear to the base of the neck. The injured man was taken to the hospital by a man named Parker, police said.

Broadstock is being held in the hospital under guard and Goodnow is being held in the city jail for questioning by the state's attorney's office today.

Officer J. C. Stouffer investigated for the city police.

United China Relief Report Is Announced

United China Relief sent to China for its 1943 relief program \$8,612,155.02, it was announced yesterday by Harold W. Smith, representative of the United China Relief Committee in Cumberland.

The 1943 relief program covered five fields of effort: education, medicine and public health, child care, direct relief and self-help projects.

United China Relief is one of the agencies participating in the National War Fund, Inc., to which Allegheny county contributed so generously in the recent annual drive.

A preliminary water safety and functional swimming instructors' course will be started by the Cumberland Chapter, American Red Cross, Thursday at Central Y. M. C. A. H. Lee Silcox, chairman of first aid and water safety, announces.

The fifteen-hour course, which will consist of one-hour classes on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 9 to 10 p. m., will be taught by Miss Mildred Diehl, Red Cross water safety instructor.

At the end of the course, a special representative of the Eastern Area headquarters of the Red Cross will teach those who complete the preliminary course. The instructors' course will last three nights and those completing it will be qualified to teach Red Cross life saving, water safety and functional swimming.

Requirements for the preliminary course are that the applicant must be able to swim well enough to take care of himself in the water, be 19 years old or older and in good physical condition, and provide his own trunk and towels.

Everett R. Johnson, general secretary, and O. I. Bergstrom, assistant secretary of the "Y," are co-operating in the program.

Three-Day Boy Scout Bond Canvass Yields Approximate \$15,800 Total

Special Soliciting Tour in LaVale Will Take Place Tonight

An estimated \$15,800 bond sale was realized in the three-day Boy Scout canvass last week, Bradley S. Kehoe, chairman of the mercantile bureau bond sales committee, stated last night.

In answer to complaints from residents in the LaVale section that they were not given the opportunity to purchase bonds from the Scouts, a special canvass will be made tonight in that area, Kehoe announced, and a bond booth will be maintained at the LaVale Fire Hall.

Scout Troop 13, under the direction of Albert Thorne, scoutmaster, will solicit in the same manner as they with other troops, did in Cumberland. Eight of the members of that troop are LaVale residents.

Bond Booth in Fire Hall

The bond booth at the fire hall will open at 8 p. m. and remain open as long as there are people to buy bonds, Kehoe said.

With tonight's sales and some made last week but not yet included in final reports, it is expected that the Scout sale will surpass the \$16,000 mark.

Bond issuing teams will continue working through tonight, tomorrow and Wednesday, Kehoe stated, and bonds will still be made out at the homes as terms of sale provide.

Purchases of bonds may be made today and tomorrow at Montgomery Ward store and credited to individual Boy Scouts or Scout troops.

All Troops Participate

In giving figures for the Scout sales effort, Kenneth E. Jackson, Potomac Council executive, said that every troop participated and that equal credit should be given all troops that covered their assigned areas, no matter how small the actual sales may be. Troop 13, 4 and 15 each sold over fifty bonds, and every troop sold some bonds, he added.

Joseph M. Naughton, chairman of the bank activities group of the War Finance Committee, reported that sales of Series "E" bonds up to and including February 10, amounted to \$492,262.50 in Allegheny county. It was unofficially reported that the total passed the half million mark Saturday.

Flue Fire Damages Valentine Home

Damage which firemen estimated at several hundred dollars resulted yesterday afternoon when a furnace at the home of B. R. Valentine, rear of 1123 Bedford street, burned out and overheated the flue, setting fire to the home.

East Side firemen who were called at 2:55 o'clock were told that the boiler of the furnace failed after the water was lost. Since the thermostat of the stoker was set and no heat was being produced in the radiators, the stoker continued to work until the overheated flue set the wood partition on fire.

Firemen said the blaze was extinguished when they arrived and that Valentine had torn out part of the first floor partition near the chimney and part of the first floor ceiling to get at the flames.

South Cumberland firemen extinguished a flue fire at the home of J. B. Wigger, 482 Williams street, Saturday afternoon.

(By The Associated Press)

Meats, Fats, Etc.—Book three brown stamps V, W and X valid through February 26; stamp Y good through March 20.

Processed Foods—Book four green stamps G, H and J valid through February 20; stamps K, L and M good through March 20.

Sugar—Book four stamp 30 valid for five pounds through March 31; stamp 40 valid for five pounds for home canning through February 28, 1945.

Shoes—Book one stamp 18 and book three "airplane" stamp 1 good indefinitely.

Gasoline—In the northeast and southeast, 9-A coupons good for three gallons through May 8. Elsewhere, 10-A coupons valid for three gallons through March 21. B and C-1 and C-2 coupons good for two gallons everywhere except in the war west and Rocky mountains where they are good for three gallons. B-2 and C-2 coupons good everywhere for five gallons.

Four Persons Hurt In Highway Mishap

Car with Seven Passengers Is Demolished after Plunge over Bank

Death took a holiday last night when seven persons enroute from Camp Sutton, N. C. to Brownsville, Pa. on Route 40, escaped serious injury when the automobile in which they were riding plunged over the bank about six miles east of Cumberland, catapulted across a stream adjacent to the highway and was completely demolished.

Four of the persons suffered minor injuries for which they were treated in Memorial hospital, while the other three sustained no injuries whatsoever. The accident occurred about 9:15 p. m. and the victims were admitted to the hospital about 10 o'clock. They were all discharged after treatment.

Those injured were Mrs. Elizabeth Taylor, 25, of Petersburg, Va., laceration on the right side of the head; Sgt. Carl Bowser, 21, Camp Sutton, N. C., laceration of the left arm; Pvt. William Koons, 21, also from Camp Sutton, N. C., laceration of the nose, and Elizabeth Ann Taylor, six-months-old daughter of Mrs. Taylor, an abrasion on the right side of the head.

Also in the car were Mrs. Bowser and her two children, Carroll, aged one year, and Paul, six years.

According to state police, Sgt. Bowser was driving and failed to negotiate a sharp right curve as he was coming down Martin's mountain toward the section known as Willowbrook. No charges will be preferred.

The accident was investigated by Sgt. Harold C. Carl and Trooper Graydon S. Dunlap, of the Maryland State Police.

Local Man Is Held For Resisting Officer

George Lipold, 44, Virginia avenue, is being held under \$35 bond for a hearing in police court this morning at 9 o'clock on a charge of being drunk and resisting an officer. He was arrested yesterday morning at 12:30 o'clock by Officers John G. Powers and Thomas J. See.

Southern States Cooperative Will Discuss Policies

Furman, Yoder and Martin To Speak at Regional Meeting Friday

A discussion on matters of policy will highlight the meeting of the regional board of the Southern States Cooperative in the Algonquin hotel Friday, February 18, at 7:30 p. m.

Matters scheduled to come up for discussion include:

Shall patronage refunds be paid in stock or cash?

Shall Southern States shorten the period during which voting stock is left outstanding?

The present policy is to call stock at par value ten years from date of issuance.

Shall delegates (board members) nominate Southern States directors by mail in advance of the annual meetings?

If transportation restrictions become no more severe shall the members' annual meetings be held this year?

Paul Yoder, president of the board of directors of Southern States Cumberland Service will preside and also will make an address.

R. R. Furman, of Winchester, Va., district manager, will outline what he believes are the prospects farmers have for getting various supplies they need in conducting their farming operations this spring and H. P. Martin, of Richmond, will review some of Southern States Cooperative's activities during the last half of 1943. Group singing will be another feature.

This meeting will be attended by members of Southern States advisory boards and boards of directors and other representatives of Southern States Cooperative in Mineral and Allegany counties.

MRS. MARY L. CLIFFORD DIES AT WEDGEWOOD

Mrs. Mary Littell Clifford, 47, wife of Harold C. Clifford, died at her home in Wedgewood Saturday after a lingering illness.

A former resident of this city, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford lived at 169 Thomas street, until they moved to Wedgewood two years ago. She was a member of First Methodist church, this city.

Also surviving are one daughter, Mrs. Chester Watson, Potomac Park; one son, Harold C. Clifford, Jr., Middle River; her father, Enoch Littell, Woodruff, W. Va., seven sisters and three brothers.

The body will remain at the Hafer funeral home where services will be conducted Tuesday by the Rev. George E. Baughman. Interment will be in Hillcrest cemetery.

MRS. EMMA CHANEY

Mrs. Emma Chaney, 62, wife of Loren Chaney, 11 Weber street, died at her home Saturday evening after an illness of eight weeks.

Besides her husband, she is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Olan Wotring and Mrs. Roy Davy, this city, and Mrs. Paul Markwood, Ashville, N. C.; one son, Courtney Chaney, this city, and two brothers, James Scott, Mill Creek, W. Va., and Claude Scott, Valley Bend, W. Va.

Services will be conducted at the home Tuesday by Harold Hartman, pastor of the Church of Christ. Interment will be in Hillcrest cemetery.

MRS. ANNA HIETT

Mrs. Anna Hiett, 62, former resident, died Friday in Turrence, Cal. She had been ill two years.

Mrs. Hiett was the wife of Albert Hiett and the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Brooke Taylor, of Springfield, W. Va.

Besides her husband, survivors include two sons, Lemuel and Raymond Hiett, and two daughters, Dorothy and Evelyn, all at home; two sisters, Mrs. May Shannon and Mrs. Carrie Messick, Springfield, W. Va.; and three brothers, Clarence Taylor, of Springfield; Robert Taylor, 606 Elwood street, this city, and John Taylor, Philadelphia.

ALBERT ROSS LUTEMAN

Albert Ross Luteman, 85, Corriagville, died Saturday at noon in Allegheny hospital where he was admitted last April.

A native of Oldtown, Mr. Luteman lived in this city most of his life. He was employed as a florist for Bopp's Flower Shop.

A son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph and Evelyn (Twigg) Luteman, he was a member of St. Patrick's Catholic church and was a member of the League of the Sacred Heart.

Besides his widow, Mrs. Florence Luteman, he is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Nettie Conley, Oldtown, and Mrs. Clara Barrager, Green Spring, W. Va.; three brothers, James H. Luteman, Garrett, Laite, and Joseph Luteman, all of Oldtown; three daughters, Mrs. Evelyn Mitchell, Pittsburgh, Mrs. Margaret Taylor, Canton, Ohio, and Mrs. Mary Clark, Corriagville; one son, James H. Luteman, this city, sixteen grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held Tuesday in St. Patrick's Catholic church.

Plan First Aid Class

Dr. Robert W. Work, county director of civilian defense announced yesterday that classes in first aid will be held from 9:30 to 11:30 a. m. and from 8 to 10 p. m. today at the Kight funeral home, Decatur street, for civilian defense unit members. Advanced and standard courses will be given.

Committee To Meet

A meeting of the Allegany County War Memorial committee will be held today at 8 p. m. in the city hall.

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TO SPEAK HERE—R. R. Furman, of Winchester, Va., district manager of the Southern States Cooperative, will speak at the regional board meeting scheduled Friday, February 18, at 7:30 p. m., in the Algonquin hotel. Matters of policy will be discussed.

Frostburg 'Waiter' Attacks Speakers At Lincoln Dinner

'Foreigner' at Chevy Chase Affair Turns Out To Be G. Kear Hosken

Members of the Republican State Central Committee for Allegany county and other county Republicans returned last night from Washington whither they went to attend a Lincoln day dinner held Saturday evening at the Chevy Chase Woman's Club under auspices of the Republican State Central Committee for Montgomery County. In Washington they were guests of Representative J. Glenn Beall at the Mayflower hotel.

The event was attended by 545, the limit of the club capacity, and the committee said 2,000 tickets could have been sold. The demand was so great that seating was closed two weeks in advance.

Congresswoman Margaret Chase Smith, of the Second district of Maine; Mayor Theodore R. McKeldin, of Baltimore, and Representative Beall were the chief speakers at the dinner, and former Senator William A. Gunter, of Cumberland, was the toastmaster.

The serenity of the banquet scene was disturbed when the remarks of the toastmaster were interrupted by the crash of a tray of dishes in the hands of a bewildered foreign waiter, who attacked the various speakers in Italian dialect. He lambasted the Republican party in general and heaped praises upon the New Dealers to such an extent that there were repeated cries to "throw him out."

All was well, however, when the toastmaster finally discovered the disorderly person was none other than G. Kear Hosken, Allegany county recontour, prominent Republican of Frostburg and personal friend of Representative Beall. The stunt brought forth big applause when the trick was revealed.

The Alleghenians extended the thanks of their county for the splendid support given Representative Beall at the last election and since by the people of Montgomery county.

Attending the event from this county were Paul M. Fletcher, chairman; Robert C. Pollock, Mount Savage; Thomas Elias and Darrell G. Zeller, of Frostburg; and Edgar M. Lewis, Fred B. Driscoll and Jacob N. Browne, of Cumberland, committee members; Gunter, Hosken, Beall and William L. Geppert, of the Cumberland News.

Winchester Road Man Fined \$100 on Charge Of Drunken Driving

Roy Jeffries, Winchester road, was fined \$100 and costs before Magistrate Roy S. Bowman, Cresapton, Saturday evening, on a charge of drunken driving.

Jeffries received a suspended sentence of sixty days in the county jail on a charge of threatening a former state policeman with a revolver.

George J. Miller, Celanese guard and former state trooper testified that he was driving home January 31 when a car almost forced him off the highway. Miller said that after he offered to drive Jeffries home, Jeffries drew a revolver and threatened him.

Sgt. Truman Moon and Trooper Graydon S. Dunlap preferred charges.

William M. Egan, 212 Arch street, arrested on the McCullen highway by Trooper Graydon S. Dunlap on a charge of passing another car near the top of a hill, was acquitted Saturday in trial magistrate's court.

Thomas C. Humbertson, 311 Maryland avenue, forfeited \$3 bond in police court on a charge of failing to stop at a traffic light. He was arrested by Officer J. C. Stouffer at Baltimore and George streets, Friday night.

Arrested Saturday night, Orville Merribaugh, Frederick street, posted \$5 bond for a hearing today in police court on a charge of failing to stop at a traffic signal on Baltimore street. Officer William E. Valentine preferred the charge.

Charged with selling beer to minors, James P. Raney, 21 Front street, will be given a hearing today in police court. Officer James W. Brown arrested Raney, who operates the Mayflower tavern, late Monday night, and the accused man posted \$100 bond for trial.

Betty Bishop, 12, Injured as Truck Hits Parked Car

Suffers Possible Fractures of Jaw and Kneecap on Uhl Highway

A twelve-year-old girl was admitted to the hospital and other occupants of the car miraculously escaped injury when a truck crashed against the rear of the parked car in which they were sitting yesterday at 10:45 a. m.

The injured girl, Miss Betty Bishop, daughter of Newton Bishop, Route 4, was admitted to Memorial hospital yesterday morning at 11 o'clock suffering from possible fractures of the jaw and kneecap. She was reported by attaches to be in a "fairly good" condition last evening. X-rays will be taken to determine the extent of her injuries.

According to Trooper Milton Hart of the state police, who investigated, Miss Bishop and her father were riding in a car driven by Osea P. Kidwell, 59, of Route 4, when a truck driven by Durward G. Apple, 44, Berkeley Springs, W. Va., collided against the rear of the car which was parked on a curve of the Uhl highway, one mile east of this city.

Apple told Trooper Hart that he saw the parked car as he was driving toward Cumberland on the Uhl road but that another car was coming in the opposite direction and, as there was not room to pass, he ran against the rear of the parked vehicle.

The rear of the Kidwell car, which state police described as a "light" wreck, was collapsed when the truck smashed against it, and the impact drove it against the guard rail, smashing the front of the vehicle. Neither Bishop nor the driver of the car was injured.

Miss Bishop was taken to the hospital by Mrs. Bryce Carson, 48 Columbia street.

A third car was slightly damaged as a result of the accident, police were told, when the driver, seeing the wrecked vehicles ahead, tried to stop, skidded and drove against the bank.

Charges are being withheld pending the outcome of Miss Bishop's injuries, Trooper Hart said.

Cumberland Hospitals Report Ten Births

Mr. and Mrs. Claude D. Brown, 639 Elm street, announce the birth of twin sons in Memorial hospital, Friday morning.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. C. Robert Barnes, Fort Cumberland hotel, in Memorial hospital, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Kern, 4 Furnace street, announce the birth of a son in Allegheny hospital Saturday morning.

Twins, a son and a daughter, were born to Mr. and Mrs. John Walker, 31 South Water street, Frostburg, in Memorial hospital Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bridges, Route 1, announce the birth of a daughter in Memorial hospital yesterday morning.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. John R. Greise, Route 3, Valley road, in Allegheny hospital yesterday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Salem Humbertson, 609 Piedmont avenue announce the birth of a son in Allegheny hospital yesterday at noon.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Williams, 306 Crawford street, in Allegheny hospital at noon yesterday.

14 Submit Prints For Annual Show

60 Photographs Entered in Hagerstown Show by CCC Members

Fourteen members of the Cumberland Camera Club have submitted prints for the photographic exhibition which will be held in the Washington County Museum of Fine Arts, Hagerstown, March 5 to 20. It was announced last evening by Morris D. Fram.

Those who entered prints include Mrs. Gladys Weatherholt, John King, Leo Leasure, J. C. Ward, Charles Johnson, O. C. Deal, Charles Jones, Michael Beerman, R. S. Sitzer, Morris D. Fram, Frank Bares, Randolph Millhollan, Samuel Dooley and Keith Sisk.

Approximately sixty prints were submitted by the local entrants, Fram said. The prints must be in Hagerstown by Tuesday, February 15.

Prizes will be awarded to the outstanding prints in two categories: amateur and professional. Cash awards will be presented to first and second place prize winners in each group.

Approximately 400 prints are expected to be entered in this year's show.

Announce Birth

Major and Mrs. Frederic J. Foster, 525 North Camp street, Sequoyia, Texas, announce the birth of a son, Myrtle Hamilton of this city, and Mrs. J. R. Parsons, 9 Mill street, Major and Mrs. Foster were living in Hawaii where he was stationed at the time of the attack on Pearl Harbor and returned to this country last March.